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Exercise classes provide senior citizens in Romulus with the opportunity visit with friends and to feel better about themselves. Exercise classes are offered every Thursday at 10 a.m. Seniors are told they don't have to be Jane Fonda types to participate. Everyone is welcome. The class instructor, Barb Schultz (above, right) encourages everyone to go at their own pace. She also offers moral support to participants such as Jewel Lumpford (above left). Much of the class is spent stretching as Gerry WestBay and Joan Scibilla (left) demonstrate. ANP photos by Ann Grimes/staff photographer

Hayti will close, officials confirm

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Hayti Elementary School will close this fall. School officials made the announcement to a group of 40 parents attending a public hearing Jan. 24.

The announcement enraged most of the parents who thought the hearing was planned to discuss the possibility of closing. Instead parents were asked for input on relocating the children.

"The meeting was a farce," Parent Teacher Organization President Wendy Sexton said. "They're going to close it no matter what we do."

William Bedell, superintendent of schools, said he expected the strong reaction to the school closings, but the district has no choice.

"People got emotional. People got upset...They go through a whole range of emotions," he said.

"I told them we have to close the school for financial reasons," Bedell continued.

Bedell confirmed that the closing of Hayti is beyond the talking stage. He said the decision was made four years ago when school board members voted to close Beverly and Mt. Pleasant elementary schools.

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Romulus man shot in attempted robbery

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

A Romulus man was shot in the abdomen as he entered his home early Tuesday morning.

Emanuel Henningburg, 40, was flown to the University of Michigan Medical Center by helicopter with a gunshot wound in the abdomen shortly after the shooting at 2:15 a.m. Hospital officials said Henningburg was in surgery at 11 a.m. Tuesday. His condition is considered serious.

Henningburg was reportedly shot by a man who demanded money from him.

The shooting took place as Henningburg was opening the

front gate to his home on Harriet Street, according to a police official. He was approached by a man with a shotgun who demanded Henningburg's wallet.

The man shot Henningburg, took his wallet and escaped in Henningburg's 1986 Ford Escort, according to police officials.

Henningburg managed to stagger into his house before collapsing.

The suspect in this shooting is described as a black male in his early 30s, approximately six-feet-two-inches tall.

The case remains under investigation by the Romulus police.

'Crackhouse' raided

A house on Fourth Street in Romulus was raided by six police officers Wednesday afternoon, leading to one arrest and the confiscation of an undisclosed amount of crack-

cocaine, drug paraphernalia and money. A Romulus man was arrested.

The raid was a result of an ongoing investigation in the area, a police official said.

The six police officials, two in uniform, raided the reported crackhouse at 4 p.m.

Arrested in the raid was Romulus resident Robert Tigner, 34. He was charged with possession of an illegal substance with intent to deliver.

Tigner pleaded not guilty at his arraignment in 34th District Court, in Romulus. He was remanded to the Wayne County Jail in lieu of bond and is scheduled for a preliminary exam Feb. 8, according to court officials.

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Community still undecided on county jail issue

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Romulus officials and residents were told during a study session Jan. 24 that a county jail in town could result in revenue and job opportunities.

They didn't buy it. "I have not talked to a single Romulus official in favor of a jail," remarked Mary Ann Banks, mayor pro tem, at the beginning of the study session.

The study session was staged to answer questions regarding the proposed facility. Romulus is one of four communities being considered for the 840-

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— Michael Duggan
Deputy Wayne County Executive

bed, minimum-security facility.

"If this city council tells us they don't want the jail, we will not try to site it here," said Deputy Wayne County Executive Michael Duggan.

Duggan told councilmembers how the city could benefit

from housing the jail. County officials would enter an agreement with Romulus to pay an annual service charge equivalent to city taxes for the facility.

In addition, Romulus citizens would be provided with job opportunities, Duggan said. "We have talked to unions in

the county. There is no problem with giving opportunities to the community," he said.

Officials and residents were also assured the jail would not be located near residential areas. The site being considered is a 50-acre parcel in the northwest corner of town near Hanna and Van Born roads, according to Don Barden, a private developer interested in the project.

Barden addressed city council about the benefits of the proposed jail.

"What's proposed here is a campus-style facility," he said. Barden said the building

would be two stories with landscaping.

Barden said residents should not worry about the jail harming chances for future development.

"People have said Romulus already has the airport. It may have been a negative in one point in time, but it's not a negative now," Barden said the airport has become a magnet for many lucrative development projects.

"It's a tax-positive type of development. I think before a decision is made, we must explain the who, what, when

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Ceremony honors soliders still missing in action

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Veterans of the Vietnam War filled Romulus City Hall Friday evening to remember the thousands of soldiers who remain missing in action or prisoners of war.

The ceremony was a joint effort of the Downriver Chapter of the Vietnam Veterans of America and the Romulus post of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Two flags were presented to the city — the American flag and the POW/MIA flag.

"The POW/MIA flag is in honor of all that are ever missing or imprisoned," explained William Wrijil, Romulus VFW post commander. He said the black background of the flag represents mourning for the loss of the soldiers. A bowed head and lettering is displayed in silver.

"...some hope that there is

light and life," Wrijil said.

The flag was donated by VVA member Pam Fraser, who is also a resident of Romulus.

Jerry Parrish, POW/MIA chairman of VVA, was responsible for planning the presentation.

"I came up with this idea after the POW/MIA Recognition Day (in Taylor)," he explained. Parrish said all Downriver communities should participate in similar presentations.

During the ceremony, Robert Smith, VVA chapter service coordinator explained the purpose of the flag presentation.

"Approximately 78,750 Americans were unaccounted for from World War II, and there are about 8,200 from the Korean War...There are still 2,385 men and two women listed as missing in Southeast Asia.

"We firmly believe there are live POW's waiting to come

home. For these 2,385 Americans and their families the War in Vietnam has not ended," Smith said, reading from a letter written by Parrish.

The two flags were then accepted by Mayor Beverly McNally on behalf of the city.

After the presentation, Fraser read a poem written by Parrish.

"Because you would not forget me. Because your dream was to see me free...I'm coming home."

Jail debate: Few attend hearing to consider Romulus as site

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Few area residents attended a public hearing Jan. 24 to discuss the possible construction of a new Wayne County jail in the city of Romulus.

Romulus is one of four communities considered for the new 840-bed, minimum-security prison. Similar public hearings have already been staged in Hamtramck and Highland Park.

The name of the fourth possible city has not been announced.

"You try to build an apartment in Livonia, you fill a room. You talk about a jail for Romulus, and no one comes,"

said Mike Duggan, Wayne County deputy county executive.

Duggan attended the meeting to offer information to city officials and residents, including a profile of the prisoners who would be housed at the facility, security and impact on the community.

Romulus city officials were undecided about any advantages or disadvantages of the prison, after the hearing Tuesday. Fifteen residents attended the hearing. Another 50 sent their objections to the project via a petition given to Mayor Beverly McAnally.

"If this city council tells us they don't want the jail, we will

not try to site it here," Duggan said.

Nevertheless, Duggan encouraged officials to wait until they had more information before making any decisions. A detailed, written report on the proposed jail will be available for review within the next few weeks, he said.

"Eighty percent (of the jail) would be dormitory-style, with five bunkbeds in each unit," Duggan said.

The other 20 percent would house one to two people per unit, designed for inmates who are "acting up," Duggan said.

The building would be two stories. Total land space for the project would be 30 acres, including structure and land-

scaping. The area would be surrounded by a double fence for security.

Duggan spoke of the benefits the jail would provide. One obvious advantage, he said, would be an annual service fee equivalent to city taxes.

"We're willing to make up your operating millage to you," Duggan said.

In addition, Duggan said, the jail could become a source of employment for local residents.

"We have talked to unions in the county. There's no problem with giving opportunities to the community," Duggan said.

Also speaking at the meeting was Don Barden, a private developer interested in construct-

ing the jail on a 50-acre site in northwest Romulus. Barden is known throughout the area for the cable-television franchises he once possessed in Romulus and Van Buren Township. He currently owns the cable franchise in the city of Inkster.

"What's proposed here is a campus-style facility. If you were to drive by, you would think it was Henry Ford Community College," Barden said.

"I think it's important the county has consented to give something back to the community."

The jail would be constructed by private developers contracted by the county. The facility, however, would be county-owned.

Barden estimated the total project cost to be between \$40 and \$60 million. Thus, Barden said, the service fee county officials would pay would be beneficial to Romulus, because that fee would be equal to what would be paid in city taxes.

However, neither a service fee nor taxes would not be paid to the Romulus school district or other taxing entities. County officials would not be required to pay such taxes because government property cannot be placed on the local tax rolls.

Funds for construction of the new jail are from a 1-mill county-tax increase approved by voters Aug. 2.

District court judges to net salary increases

By BARBARA ALBERT
ANP Staff Writer

Local district court judges are scheduled to receive a pay increase as part of statewide pay package.


The judges will receive a 3.5-percent increase this year and a 3-percent increase in 1990. They currently earn \$88,000 per year.

The pay package will become effective unless state lawmakers vote to reject the package, which includes pay hikes for themselves.

The district judges are paid 88 percent of the state Supreme Court judges' pay.

Funding for the district judges' salaries comes from the state and from the local community where the court is located. In Westland, according to David Wiacek, adminis-

trator of the 18th District Court, the city pays approximately \$17,000 of the two judges' salaries and contributes to their pension plans and insurance benefits.



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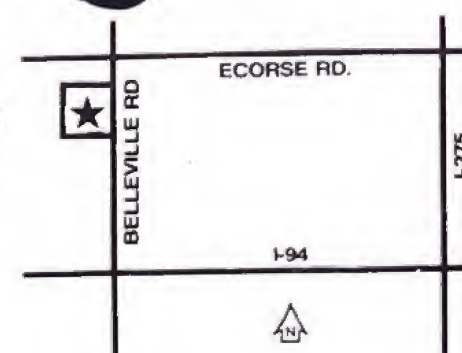
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Family bowling event planned

Father-and-son teams will meet for an evening of bowling at 5 p.m. Feb. 11 at Walter's Bowling Alley on Huron River Drive.

The \$12 cost per team covers two games of bowling, jackpots, pizza and pop.

Grandfathers, uncles, brothers or friends can be substituted for fathers.

Another bowling event, adult scotch singles, is planned for Feb. 18 at 9 p.m. The cost is \$15.

Chamber plans awards banquet

Tickets are now available for the Ninth Annual Romulus Chamber of Commerce Person of the Year Awards Banquet.

The Person of the Year is long-time resident Dan Bales.

Tickets for the event, which is planned for March 3, are available at the chamber office at Holiday Inn-Detroit Metro Airport. They cost \$3 each.

For more information call 326-4290.

Mothers, sons share Valentines

A Valentine's Day dance is planned for mothers and sons from 6:30 until 8:30 p.m. Feb. 16 at North Junior High School.

The event, sponsored by the Romulus Recreation Department, will feature dancing, punch and cookies, flowers and gifts.

Mothers may bring more than one son, and sons may bring grandmothers, aunts or sisters as alternative dates.

Those interested may register from 8:30 a.m. until 5 p.m. Monday through Friday at the Recreation building. The cost is \$3.50 per couple and \$5 if more than one son attends.

Blood pressure tests available

Representatives from Annapolis Hospital will be providing free blood pressure readings for all interested senior citizens Feb. 6 from 1 to 3 p.m. The screenings will be at the Romulus Senior Center.

Sign-up starts for senior trips

Sign-up sheets for trips in the senior van will be available as of Feb. 1, according to officials of the Romulus Senior Center.

To go on any trip, participants must put their names on the sheet and pay the \$1.50 transportation charge.

Upcoming trips include shopping, dinner and the theater.

Taping delayed

The taping of a Romulus City Council meeting referred to in the Jan. 18 Romulus News Digest has been delayed. Cable committee members are looking for two volunteers to tape the meeting for the Romulus cable station.

Library hosts story time

Story time at the Romulus Public Library will resume Feb. 2 at 10:30 a.m. and continue on a weekly basis.

Stories, action songs and fingerplays are planned for children from 3- to 5-years-old.

On the first Thursday in March, children are invited to bring their teddy bears to the library for a special session.

Along with the Thursday morning stories, a Tuesday evening session is planned and will begin Feb. 7 at 7 p.m. Children ages three to seven may participate.

Both story time programs will be offered through March. Parents may register their children by phone, 942-7589, or in person.

Compiled by FLORENCE MEEKS

Fame and Fortune

Romulus man wins \$500 in state lottery

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Persistence has finally paid off for a Romulus resident who has been purchasing lottery tickets for the past four years.

Ed Fowler, 24, was among the first group of contestants on the new Michigan Lottery televised game show, *Fame & Fortune*. The show aired Saturday night. Not only did Fowler win \$500 on the show, he received the star treatment prior to taping.

Fowler stayed at a luxurious Detroit hotel, drove around town in a limousine travel and was treated to a special luncheon.

Fowler and the other five contestants also participated in a photo session at WDIV-TV, where the program originated.

The news that he would appear on television came as a jolt to Fowler.

"I was excited," he recalled.

Fowler was one of the early players in the instant lottery game which began Jan. 10. Fowler scratched off a ticket showing three television symbols. In a random drawing of

all such entries his ticket was selected.

Because the grand prize is \$50,000, Fowler and his wife, Sheila, were hoping to use the winnings to buy a home.

Nevertheless, winning \$500 is fine with Fowler.

"I'm just going to put it in the bank," he said.

Actually, this is the second time Fowler has won a \$500 prize. He won \$500 playing the Daily 3 as well.

Despite his winnings, Fowler said he does not have a strategy.

"I think it's just luck," he said.

As one of the first contestants on the Michigan Lottery game show *Fame and Fortune*, Romulus resident Ed Fowler (center), won \$500. The show was hosted by Chuck Galdica and Diane Samecy. Photo courtesy of the Lottery Commission.



Chamber of commerce moves to Airport Holiday Inn

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

By Monday afternoon, representatives of the Romulus Chamber of Commerce had nearly completed their move to a new office at Holiday Inn-Detroit Metro Airport.

The new office will be located

in the old conference center of the hotel, on the south side of the building. Chamber board representatives voted in favor of the move from their office on Goddard and Wayne roads during a December meeting. Members had been looking for a new location for months, according to Bill Crane, vice

president.

"We've had other offers, but they were too far out from the regular hustle and bustle," Crane said.

When a representative from Holiday Inn suggested renting office space in the hotel, the offer looked good to chamber members.

"It's a better environment," Crane said.

The new location will offer members additional space for business meetings and easy access to a restaurant.

In addition, the former building on Goddard is expected to be torn down soon to make room for commercial develop-

ment.

The difference in monthly rent for the new location will add up to approximately \$300 a year, Crane said.

"It's really a better facility," Crane said.

The new telephone number for the Chamber of Commerce office is 326-4290.

New trainers appointed for schools

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

A new athletic training service which provides free sports physicals, will now be available for Romulus Community Schools through June 1990.

A contract with the Sports and Preventive Medicine Corporation was approved by members of the Romulus Board of Education Monday evening. The program will cost \$5,000 per semester or \$10,000 per year, school officials said.

"The cost is the same as it was before," said Joel Carr, assistant superintendent for finance and operations. Carr explained that this service replaces former athletic trainer Joe Durocher, who left the district for a job promotion.

Fred Coleman, athletic director of Romulus High School, said the replacement service will be beneficial.

"I truly believe that making this change is going to be for the best as we will be getting upgraded services, closer facilities for our athletes, extra benefits for our uninsured athletes (whose insurance does not cover sports injuries) and all for the same cost," he wrote in a letter to Carr.



Friendly farewell

After 30 years in education, J. T. Washington said farewell to his class at Wick Elementary School Thursday morning. Washington (above) has taught for the Romulus school district approximately 22 years. He retired as a physical education instructor. Washington plans to spend his retirement in Texas, his first

home. To say farewell, Kathy Motyka's fourth-grade class hosted a party in Washington's honor. The staff at Wick joined Washington in a farewell breakfast earlier in the day. ANP photos by Ann Grimes/staff photographer

Hayti

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"They voted to close Hayti if necessary," he said.

Because of this possibility, Romulus school officials have been in close contact with representatives from Hayti, keeping them informed of their

Jail

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and where," Barden added.

Mayor Beverly McAnally was concerned about jail security and the role city police would play at the facility.

Duggan said county officials would be responsible inside the jail.

"You would have the responsibilities associated with any other business," he added.

Duggan went on to explain how a minimum security facility operates.

"Minimum security requires

status.

"This isn't that sudden for them. We've been working with them for two years," Bedell said.

Nevertheless, a number of parents of Hayti students are angry with the news and plan to fight the closing.

"All of the parents are very angry," Sexton said.

Sexton, along with several other parents, plan to approach

a smaller staff," he said. A large portion of the security would be perimeter - two fences surrounding the facility, he explained. The jail would house people convicted of misdemeanors and charged with felonies.

Most of the units would be dormitory style containing five bunk beds. The rest of the rooms would house one or two prisoners.

"If all the communities tell us 'we don't want a jail,' we'll build it on Eloise (county owned land in Westland)," he said.

"The thing we're concerned about is the image and the hazard, real or imagined,

the board of education at the Feb. 13 meeting. A petition drive is also in the works.

"We're going to give it everything we have," Sexton said.

"We don't want our kids on a bus for half an hour and no matter what school they're sent to it will be overcrowded," she said.

"We worked and worked at Hayti to get that school millage passed...then they're going to

Eloise is mighty close and there's not \$2,000 a year attached to it," McAnally responded.

"It depends on what the people want," Councilman Jimmie Raspberry said.

"...it appears that my constituents by majority that I've heard from are opposed to a detention facility or jail in Romulus...I do see a need for more prisons, but I do not wish to push a prison on the people," Raspberry said.

Only several of the 15 residents are Halecreek, Cory and Wick elementary schools. The jail, McAnally said she was presented with a petition bear-

close our school," Sexton continued.

School officials claim Hayti costs too much to operate for the number of students enrolled, according to Sexton.

"They're mismanaging their money, but the kids are the ones who have to pay for it," she said. "I just wonder how many more elementary schools will be closed."

The next step for school offi-

cialists will be to place Hayti students in new schools, according to Bedell. A committee of four or five people will meet within the next few weeks to discuss the possibilities, he said.

Among the schools under consideration to take the students at the study session expressed an opinion about the Hayti students may be distributed to all three schools, Bedell said.

ing approximately 50 signatures opposing a jail in Romulus.

"I'm not in favor of a jail.

Think of the big Metro Centre. What are they going to think when they hear about a jail? It's going to hurt us," said resident Helen Hay.

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CHAPTER 36

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGULATION, CONTROL AND LICENSING OF TAXICABS AND OTHER VEHICLES FOR HIRE WITHIN THE CITY OF ROMULUS.

- SECTION 1:** Taximeters required: Inspection and Testing of Same: Illumination.
Every taxicab shall have a taximeter affixed thereto. The case of each taximeter shall be sealed and the cover and gear thereof intact. Every taximeter shall be so affixed that the amount of the fare determined shall be plainly visible to the passengers thereof, and after sundown shall be illuminated by a suitable light.
- SECTION 2:** Operator's License - Required.
No person shall operate for hire, upon the streets of the City, any taxicab or motor vehicle for hire without first obtaining a license therefore from the City of Romulus.
- SECTION 3:** Same - Application.
Application for licenses for taxicabs and motor vehicles for hire shall be made by the owner upon blanks to be furnished by the City Clerk. Such applications shall contain the full name and address of the owner, class of the vehicle for which a license is desired, the length of time the vehicle has been in use, the number of persons it is capable of carrying and the motor power thereof.
- SECTION 4:** Same - Issuance of License and Fees.
A taxicab or vehicle for hire license may be granted by the City Clerk upon the applicant properly completing the required application and paying to the City Treasurer a fee determined from time to time by resolution of Council, and filing a bond or liability insurance policy as required by Section 12. An applicant who is denied his license may appeal within 30 days of the rejection by written request to the Clerk for a hearing before the Council and payment of the appeal fee.
- SECTION 5:** Same - License Plates
When a taxicab or vehicle for hire license has been granted, the licensee shall affix to the taxicab or motor vehicle for hire so licensed, a small plate not exceeding six inches in diameter, which shall bear the license number of the vehicle. The registration of such numbers shall be under the administration and control of the Ordinance Department and the design of such license plates and /or window sticker shall be changed annually.
- SECTION 6:** Same - Expiration Date
All taxicab licenses and vehicle for hire licenses issued by the Clerk under this article, unless sooner revoked by the Clerk as provided in this Article shall expire on the thirty-first day of December each year.
- SECTION 7:** Same - Inspection Prior to Licensing of Vehicles.
No taxicab or motor vehicle for hire shall be licensed under this article until it has been thoroughly and carefully inspected and examined and found to be in a thoroughly safe condition for transportation of passengers, clean, fit, of good appearance and well painted. The Ordinance Department is hereby authorized and empowered to establish rules and regulations for the inspection of each public vehicle and its appearance, construction and condition of fitness.
- SECTION 8:** Same - License Cards; duplicate of same.
If, upon inspection, the taxicab or motor vehicle for hire is found to be of lawful construction and in proper condition in accordance with the provisions of this article and the rules and regulation established under this article, and upon the payment of the license fee provided for in this article and when so licensed, there shall be delivered to the owner, in addition to the license, a card of such size and form as may be prescribed by the City Clerk. Such card shall contain the official license number of the vehicle, together with the date of inspection of same and a statement to the effect that in case of any complaint, the Ordinance Department shall be notified, giving the license number of the vehicle. Such card shall be signed by the officer of the City having charge of the enforcement of this article and shall contain blank spaces upon which an entry may be made of the date of every inspection of the vehicle by the Ordinance Department. License cards shall be distinctly different color each year. It shall contain the name of the person owning such taxicab or motor vehicle for hire and the state license number issued therefore. Upon paying a fee as established by Council Resolution and furnishing proof by affidavit of the loss or destruction of such license or such card, a duplicate thereof shall immediately be issued to the licensee with appropriate notation thereon that it is a duplicate.
- SECTION 9:** Same - Non Transferability.
Taxicab licenses or vehicle for hire licenses issued under this article shall not be transferable.
- SECTION 10:** Same - Suspension and Revocation.
Any taxicab or vehicle for hire license granted under the terms of this article may be suspended by the Ordinance Department or revoked by the City Clerk, if the taxicab shall, with the knowledge and consent of the owner, be used for, or the driver shall, with the knowledge and consent of the owner, be engaged in immoral or illegal business in violation of any provisions of the Code or other City ordinances, state or federal law, or in violation of the terms of this article, in the event of suspension or revocation, the City Clerk shall set for hearing its continued status within seven (7) days for a hearing notifying the licensee of time and place. Appeal from such decision must be made within 20 days to the Clerk's decision, to the City Council, which shall set a time and place for a final hearing.
- SECTION 11:** Certificate of public convenience and necessity.
No license under this Chapter shall be granted until the person applying for such license shall have secured from the Clerk a certificate certifying that public convenience and necessity require the operation of the taxicab or motor vehicle for hire. In determining such public convenience and necessity, the Clerk shall consider the number of taxicabs and vehicles for hire operating in the City and the demands of the public for such service; financial responsibility of the applicant; the number, kind, type, equipment, schedule of rates proposed to be charged; traffic conditions on the streets of the City; whether the service will result in a greater hazard to the public, and such other relative facts as the Clerk may deem advisable or necessary. The judgement of the Clerk on the question of public convenience and necessity shall be conclusive.
- SECTION 12:** Insurance Requirements.
Before the issuance of a license to operate a taxicab or motor vehicle for hire, the licensee shall file a certificate, signed by a duly authorized officer of a company authorized to write insurance in the State, to the effect that a policy of insurance has been issued and is in full force and effect to the licensee, and that the premium has been paid as required thereon, together with a true copy of the policy contract or certificate of issuance. In cases where the insurance premium is payable monthly, proper certificates or evidences of payment of the premiums shall be delivered to the City Clerk no later than the first of each month.
- SECTION 12.01:** Insurance Limits.
The policy of insurance for each year vehicle shall be in the total amount of One Hundred Thousand and no/100 (\$100,000.00) Dollars for bodily injury to any one person; in the amount of Three Hundred Thousand and no/100 (\$300,000.00) Dollars for injuries to more than one person that are sustained in the same accident; and One Hundred Thousand and no/100 (\$100,000.00) Dollars for property damage re-

sulting from any one accident. Such insurance limits may be modified from time to time by Council resolution.

- SECTION 12.02:** Liability Limits.
Such policy of insurance shall contain a provision for a continuing liability thereunder to the full amount thereof, notwithstanding any recovery thereon, and that until the policy is revoked, as herein provided, the insurance company will not be relieved from liability on account of nonpayment of premium, failure to renew license at the end of the year, or any act or omission of the named assured.
- SECTION 12.03:** Termination:
An insurance company whose policy has been so filed pursuant to this section may file a notice in the office of the City Clerk of its intention to terminate and cancel such policy and give notice thereof to the named licensee, whereupon ten days after such filing such licensee or owner shall cease to operate or cause to be operated within the City such taxicab or motor vehicle for hire, and the license issued therefor shall be automatically revoked and liability on such policy shall cease and terminate; provided, that the liability of the insurance company thereon any act or omission of the licensee or owner occurring prior to the effective date or cancellation shall not be thereby discharged or impaired.
- SECTION 12.04:** Financial Reports.
The Clerk may from time to time, at the Clerk's discretion, require financial reports to be furnished to him by any or all insurance companies writing policies of insurance filed in compliance with this article.
- SECTION 12.05:** Unsatisfactory Financial Conditions.
If the financial condition of any of such companies shall at any time be found unsatisfactory or insecure with reference to the extent of the risks assumed or policies outstanding, the Clerk, after ten days notice to the owner of any vehicle covered or affected by insurance policies issued by any company in pursuance of the provisions of this article, shall revoke the licenses of such owners, unless a satisfactory policy, or bond shall have been previously filed in the manner and form required by this section.
- SECTION 13:** Rates of Fare - Taxicabs.
The rates to be charged and collected for service by taxicabs shall be established from time to time by resolution of City Council.
- SECTION 13.01:** Fare Notice.
There shall be posted in a conspicuous place on the inside of the taxicab, a card on which shall be printed, in plain, legible type, the rates of fare provided for in this article, the meter type, the meter rate of the taxicab and reference to this article by number.
- SECTION 14:** Same - Motor Vehicles for Hire.
No person operating a motor vehicle for hire shall operate the same within the City other than as set forth herein. The schedule of rates for service of such vehicle shall be as set by the City Council from time to time by resolution.
- SECTION 14.01:** Rate Motor Vehicles for Hire.
For use of any motor vehicle for hire other than a taxicab, the rate shall be set by Council resolution from time to time. The rate shall be posted as similarly described in Section 13.01 on such a vehicle. This section shall not apply to a taxicab where a taximeter is attached thereto.
- SECTION 15:** Same - Changes not to be made until taximeter adjusted and approved by Ordinance Department, fare not to exceed that indicated by taximeter.
No change of fare shall be made until the taximeter shall be adjusted to the rate changed and the meter approved by the Ordinance Department. No fare in excess of or less than the indication shown by the taximeter shall be charged.
- SECTION 16:** Trip Sheet Records.
Every taxicab and vehicle for hire driver shall maintain a trip sheet record containing the date, cab number, or vehicle for hire number, name of driver, time of start and completion of work period, and the taximeter and speedometer reading at the start and completion of the work period. The record also shall list in chronological order the address or street intersection at which the fare was picked up and discharged. The location at which the fare was picked up shall be recorded before beginning the trip or as soon as traffic conditions permit and the address at which the fare was discharged shall be recorded as soon as the passenger leaves the vehicle or as soon as traffic conditions permit.
- SECTION 16.01:** Retention of Trip Sheet.
Taxicab owners and vehicle for hire owners shall be responsible for filing and maintaining trip sheet records for a period of ninety days. Trip sheet records must be presented upon demand of the Ordinance Department and may be retained by the officer as evidence in court.
- SECTION 17:** Disputes as to Amount of Fares.
All disputes as to the lawful rate of fare shall, upon request of the driver or passenger of a taxicab or vehicle for hire, be determined by the police officer in charge of the station where such dispute is had. Failure to comply with such determination shall subject the offending party to a charge of disorderly conduct, punishable by a fine not exceeding ten dollars or, in default thereof, imprisonment of not more than ten days. This provision shall be mandatory and the police officer in charge of the station where such request is made shall render such service.
- SECTION 18:** Public 18. Public Driver License - Required.
Each person driving a taxicab or motor vehicle for hire shall be licensed as a public driver. No person shall permit any employee to operate a public taxicab or motor vehicle for hire within the City without first obtaining a license as a public driver. No person shall permit any unlicensed public driver or any public driver whose license has been suspended or revoked to operate any taxicab in the City.
- SECTION 19:** Application; Qualifications or Drivers:
Each applicant for a public driver license must:
(a) Be the age of eighteen years or over.
(b) Be of sound physique and good eyesight and not subject to epilepsy, vertigo, heart trouble or any other infirmity of body or mind which might render unfit for the safe operation of a public vehicle.
(c) Be able to read and write the English language.
(d) Be clean in dress and person and not addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors and/or controlled substances.
(e) Produce, on forms to be provided by the Clerk's Office certificates of good character, from two reputable citizens who have known personally and observed his conduct for one year next preceding that of this application.
(f) Fill out, upon a blank form to be provided by the Clerk's Office, a statement giving full name, residence, place of residence for five years previous to moving to present address, age, height, color of eyes and hair, place of birth, length of time has resided in the City, whether a citizen of the United States, or a registered alien resident having a green card, place of previous employment, whether married or single, whether ever convicted of a felony or misdemeanor, and if convicted, the nature of the crime and the date when and the place of the conviction, whether previously licensed as a driver or chauffeur, and if so, when and where and whether license has been revoked and for what cause, which statement shall be signed and sworn to by the applicant and filed with the City Clerk as a permanent record.
- SECTION 19.01:** Investigation of Applicant.
The investigation of all applications for public driver licenses under the provisions of this article shall be conducted by the Ordinance Office, and when such

investigation is completed, the application shall be forwarded by the Ordinance Department to the City Clerk, who shall endorse his recommendation thereon; provided, that a temporary license may be issued pending such investigation; but not to exceed twenty days.

- SECTION 20:** Photograph of Driver to Accompany Application.
Each applicant for a public driver license must file with the application three recent photographs of himself, of a size which may be easily attached to the license, one of which shall be attached to the license when issued, one on the card and the other be filed, together with the application, with the Clerk's Office. The photograph shall be so attached to the license that it cannot be removed and another photograph substituted without detection.
- SECTION 21:** Issuance to Persons Convicted of Felonies.
No public driver license shall be issued to any person who has been convicted of a felony; except the Ordinance Department may issue a license upon the written recommendation of the police chief when it shall appear to the Council that such applicant is a law abiding citizen.
- SECTION 22:** Examination of Applicants.
Each applicant for a public driver license shall be examined by person designated by the Ordinance Department as to his knowledge of the provisions of this Article, the traffic regulations and geography of this city, and, if the result of the examination is unsatisfactory, he shall be refused a license. Each such applicant must, if required by the Ordinance Department, demonstrate his skill and ability to safely handle to vehicle by driving it through a crowded section of the City accompanied by an Ordinance Officer designated by the Ordinance Department.
- SECTION 23:** Prohibited Acts.
It shall be unlawful for any person:
(1) To display or cause or permit to be displayed or to have in possession any public driver license knowing the same to be fictitious or to have been cancelled, revoked, suspended or altered.
(2) To lend or to knowingly permit use of, by one not entitled thereto, any public driver license issued to the person so lending or permitted the use thereof.
(3) To display or to represent as one's own, any public driver license not issued to the person so displaying same.
(4) To fail or refuse to surrender to the department upon demand, any public driver license which has been suspended, cancelled or revoked as provided by law.
(5) To use an altered public driver license or any part thereof or forged public driver license with unlawful intent.
(6) To alter or forge any public driver license.
- SECTION 24:** Fee.
The Clerk is hereby authorized to grant a public driver license to any applicant therefor upon payment of a fee as set from time to time by City Council Resolution and paid to the City Treasurer, by such applicant.
- SECTION 25:** Form; Defacing etc., of License Prohibited.
Upon satisfactory fulfillment of the requirements of this license, which shall be in such form as to contain the photograph and signature of the licensee. Any licensee who defaces, removes or obliterates any official entry made upon his license or book, in addition to any other punishment imposed therefor, shall have his license revoked at the discretion of the Clerk.
- SECTION 26:** Expiration Date:
Public Driver licenses shall be issued as of January 1st of each year and shall be valid to and including December Thirty-first next succeeding.
- SECTION 27:** Display of License in Vehicles.
Every licensed public driver shall have his license together with his photograph, conspicuously displayed on the inside of his taxicab or motor vehicle for hire, and with a light shining on it at night so that it may easily be seen both in the day and nighttime by occupants of the taxicab or motor vehicle for hire.
- SECTION 28:** Renewal.
The City Clerk may renew a public driver license from year to year by appropriate endorsement upon the application for renewal. A driver, in applying for renewal of his license, shall make such application upon a form to be furnished by the Clerk's Office, entitled "Application for Renewal of License," which shall be filled out with the full name and address of the applicant, together with a statement of the date upon which his original license was issued and shall pay a renewal or duplicate fee as set from time to time by Council Resolution, and in case of the loss of such license, the fee for a duplicate thereof, shall be as established by City Council Resolution from time to time.
- SECTION 29:** Suspension and Revocation.
Any public driver license may be suspended or revoked by the City Clerk if the driver is engaged in any immoral or illegal business with such taxicabs, or in violation of any provisions of this Code or other city ordinances, state or federal law or in violation of the terms of this article.
- SECTION 30:** Additional Rules and Regulations by Ordinance Department.
The Ordinance Department is hereby authorized and empowered to establish such additional rules and regulations governing the issuance of public driver's licenses, not inconsistent with this article, as may be necessary and reasonable.
- SECTION 31:** Conduct of Drivers Generally:
It shall be the duty of every person driving or operating a taxicab or vehicle for hire to be courteous and polite, to refrain from smoking while actually carrying passengers in his vehicle, to refrain from the use of profanity, loud talking or boisterous conduct, to drive his motor vehicle carefully and in full compliance with all traffic laws and ordinances and regulations or orders of the police department or any of its members, to promptly answer all court notices, traffic violation notices or police notices, to deal honestly with the public and with his employer.
- SECTION 31.01:** Suspension.
Upon the violation of any of the provisions of this section, the City Clerk may forthwith suspend or revoke the license of any offending driver, and any licensee whose license has been suspended or revoked may appeal within 30 days of suspension or revocation by written request to the Clerk for a hearing before Council, and payment of the appeal fee.
- SECTION 32:** Complaints regarding operators, owners or drivers.
Any person being aggrieved by reason of the conduct or action of any taxicab operator or vehicle for hire operator, owner or driver, may present his complaint to the Ordinance Department hearing procedure. Such complaint shall be promptly investigated by the Police Department and the license of any person complained of may be suspended, or revoked by the City Clerk or revoked by the Council after such investigation.
- SECTION 33:** Record of licenses to be kept by City Clerk.
The City Council shall keep a complete and public record of each license issued under this article and all renewals, suspensions and revocations thereof, which record shall be kept on file with the original application for such license. If a member of any cooperative association, the licensee, shall give the name of the association and shall notify the City Clerk of any change in his membership or affiliation within forty-eight hours of change.
- SECTION 34:** Periodic inspections of vehicles by Ordinance.
The Ordinance Department shall maintain a constant vigilance over all taxicabs and motor vehicles

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for hire to see that they are kept in condition of continued fitness for public use, and to this end, the Ordinance Department shall inspect or cause to be inspected all taxicabs or motor vehicles for hire from time to time or on the complaint of any citizen or as often as may be necessary. Reports in writing of all inspections shall be promptly made to the City Clerk.

SECTION 35: Property Lost or Left in Vehicles. Every driver of a taxicab or vehicle for hire immediately after the termination of any hiring or employment, shall carefully search such vehicle for any property lost or left therein, and any such property unless sooner claimed or delivered to the owner must be taken to the police station and deposited with the officer in charge within twenty-four hours after the finding thereof. The officer in charge of the police station to which such property is deposited, shall forward a written notice to the police property officer with brief particulars and description of the property.

SECTION 36: Drivers may demand Payment of Fares in Advance; duty to convey orderly persons. Every driver of a taxicab or vehicle for hire shall have the right to demand payment of the legal fare on advance, and may shall otherwise refuse or neglect to convey any orderly person or persons upon request anywhere in the City unless previously engaged or unable to do so.

SECTION 37: Consent of first passenger required to carry additional passengers.

No driver of a licensed taxicab shall carry any person other than the person first employing a taxicab without the consent of the passenger.

SECTION 38: Violations. In the event of any violation of any of the provisions of the foregoing paragraph, any Police Officer, or Ordinance Officer may forthwith take up the license of the driver of such taxicab and forward it to the Chief of Police, who shall suspend such license for a period of not exceeding ninety days. It shall be unlawful for such driver to operate any taxicab in the City during the period of such suspension.

(a) In case of persistent or repeated violations, the Clerk may suspend and/or revoke the taxicab license of the owner of such taxicab; provided that in the event of suspension or revocation, the City Clerk shall set for hearing its continued status within seven (7) days for a hearing notifying the licensee of the time and place. Appeal from such decision must be made within 20 days of the Clerk's decision, to the City Council, which shall set a time a place for a final hearing. In the event of such revocation, for a period of one year thereafter such owner shall be ineligible to receive a license under this article, and no license shall be issued during the same period for the operation of the vehicles so used or operated in violation of this section.

SECTION 39: Advertising of Vehicles. Subject to the rules and regulations of the Ordinance Department it shall be lawful for any person owning or operating a taxicab or motor vehicle for hire to permit advertising matter to be affixed to or installed in or on such taxicabs or motor vehicles for hire.

SECTION 40: Furnishing of Service to Hotels. It shall be mandatory for all licensees under this article to file with the license collector copies of all contracts, agreements, arrangements, memoranda or other writing relating to the furnishing of taxicab service or vehicle for hire to any hotel, theater, hall, public resort, railway station or other place of public gathering, whether such arrangement is made with the licensee or any corporation, firm, or association with which the licensee may be interested or connected. Failure to file such copies within seven days shall be sufficient cause for the revocation of the license of any offending licensee or the cancellation of any cab stand privileges.

SECTION 41: Interurban Operations. Nothing in this article shall be construed to prohibit any licensed suburban taxicab or vehicle for hire from coming into the City to discharge passengers accepted for transportation outside the City. While such vehicle is in the City, no roof light or other special light shall be used to indicate that the vehicle is vacant or subject to hire, and a white card bearing the words "NOT FOR HIRE" printed in black letters not less than two inches in height shall be displayed at the right front corner of the windshield of the vehicle, in such manner as not to obscure vision of the driver. No person shall be solicited or accepted in such vehicle for transportation from any place within the City.

SECTION 42: Compliance with Laws, Regulations, Etc.: Reservation by Council of right to amend Article. All laws and ordinances affecting the operation of taxicabs and motor vehicles for hire and all traffic regulations applicable thereto, now in force or which may hereafter be enacted or put into force, shall be complied with by licensees under this article. The licensee shall also comply with and enforce the carrying out of any orders or regulations which may be issued by the Ordinance Department and City Clerk designed for the protection and safety of persons and property or for the comfort, health, and convenience of the public. The right is hereby reserved by the City Council, at its pleasure or caprice, to amend, alter or repeal this article at any time in future. No licensee operating under this article shall acquire any rights under which shall be construed as preventing the Ordinance Department/City Clerk/and/or City Council from taking such action.

SECTION 43: Additional Rules and Regulations by Ordinance Department and City Clerk. The Ordinance Department and City Clerk are hereby empowered to make such additional rules and regulations, within the scope of and consistent with this article, as may be necessary or proper to carry out the terms and provisions of this article and effectuate the objects of this article. Such rules and regulations, when formulated and published, shall be regarded as part of this article.

SECTION 44: Partition required in taxicabs between driver and passenger. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a taxicab for hire within the City unless such taxicab is equipped with a partition extending from a point flush with the left hand side of such taxicab across the back of the driver's seat to a point not less than three-quarters of the width of such driver's seat, and from a point flush with the top of the driver's seat to a point not more than three inches from the top of such taxicab. Such partition shall be of such material and shall be installed so as to prevent any passenger from reaching the driver of the taxicab form any point in the rear seat separated from the driver by the partition.

SECTION 45: The inspection requirements or verifications on the application. Any meter, vehicle, owner, or operator requirements or verifications, may be waived by the Ordinance Department and/or City Clerk if presented with a valid license and/or verification notice issued by the County of Wayne or other municipality and still valid which would encompass the period of time for this license to be issued. In the event of any waiver, the fees charged hereunder would remain the same.

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SECTION 46: Penalty. Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine not to exceed Five hundred (\$500.00) dollars or by imprisonment in the County jail for a period of not more than ninety (90) days or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Court. Any person who shall operate a taxicab within the City without first obtaining a license therefore shall be in violation of this Ordinance and each day that said operation continues without having first obtained a proper license shall be a separate violation of this Ordinance.

SECTION 47: Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

SECTION 48: Severability. Should any section, clause or provision of this Ordinance be declared by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the same shall not effect the validity of the Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof other than that section, clause or provision of this Ordinance declared by such Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid.

I, Linda R. Choate, Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan, do hereby certify the foregoing is a true copy of an Ordinance adopted by the Romulus City Council at their regular meeting held on the 9th day of January, 1989.

Linda R. Choate, Clerk
City of Romulus

Attest: Beverly McAnally, Mayor
Within forty five (45) days after the publication of any Ordinance duly passed by the Council, a petition may be presented to the Council protesting against such ordinance and shall be signed by no less than six (6%) percent of the registered electors registered at the last preceding election at which a Mayor of the City was elected. Said Ordinance shall thereupon and thereby be suspended from operation and Council shall immediately reconsider such Ordinance.

CHAPTER 36
TAXICAB ORDINANCE

INTRODUCED: December 7, 1988

ADOPTED: January 9, 1989

PUBLISHED: February 1, 1989

CITY OF ROMULUS NOTICE OF LETTING

BID NO. 89-5

Sealed proposals will be received in the office of the City Clerk, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, until 2:00 P.M. March 9, 1989. Bid proposals will be publicly opened and read at that time on the following parcels of city owned land.

SUBDIVISION	LOT NUMBERS
East 90 feet of Lot 48	
East 90 feet of Lot 49	
North 84 feet of East 90 Feet of Outlot A	
Wayne Port Highlands Subdivision	
MINIMUM BID	\$10,000.00

Linda R. Choate, Clerk
City of Romulus

Please Publish:
February 1, 8, 15, 22
March 1, 8

CITY OF ROMULUS REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS BID NO. 89-6

ROMULUS MUNICIPAL GOLF COURSE DEVELOPMENT FEASIBILITY STUDY

SEALED PROPOSALS ON THE ABOVE ITEM WILL BE RECEIVED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL, 11111 WAYNE RD. ROMULUS, MICHIGAN UNTIL 4:00 P.M., FEBRUARY 24, 1989, AT WHICH TIME PROPOSALS WILL BE PUBLICLY OPENED AND READ.

1. PROPOSALS SHALL BE SUBMITTED WHICH MEET OR EXCEED THE WORK PROGRAM ESTABLISHED BY THE CITY. COPIES OF THE FORMAL REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS MAY BE OBTAINED AT THE OFFICE OF THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT, 11111 WAYNE RD., ROMULUS, MICHIGAN. PROPOSALS SHALL BE ENCLOSED IN AN ENVELOPE ENDORSED WITH THE PROPOSAL IDENTIFIED AS THE GOLF COURSE FEASIBILITY STUDY.

2. THE RIGHT IS RESERVED TO REJECT ANY AND ALL PROPOSALS AND TO WAIVE TECHNICALITIES.

DENNIS N. OAKES

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR

Publish: FEBRUARY 1, 1989

CITY OF ROMULUS MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL HELD JANUARY 9, 1989, IN THE ROMULUS CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS.

The Meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M., by Chairman Pro Tem., Jimmie C. Raspberry.

PRESENT: Bergeron, Block Gear, Pennington, Raspberry

EXCUSED: Banks, Wadsworth

ABSENT: None

Administrative officials in Attendance:

Beverly McAnally, Mayor

Linda R. Choate, Clerk

James L. Napiorkowski, Treasurer

Motion by Bergeron, supported by Block, to accept the agenda as presented.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

2A Motion by Block, supported by Bergeron, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held December 27, 1988, as presented.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Raspberry. Nays - Gear, Pennington. Motion Carried Unanimously.

2B Motion by Block, supported by Gear, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held January 3, 1989, as presented.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

4 Motion by Gear, supported by Pennington, to concur with the recommendation of Chairman Pro Tem., Raspberry and adopt a resolution of commendation on the resignation of City of Romulus employee Connie May Madison, a complete copy of said resolution is on file in the City Clerk's Office for review.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Motion by Gear, supported by Pennington, to concur with the recommendation of Chairman Pro Tem., Raspberry and forward a communication to Mr. Murray, Wayne County D.P.W. Director, regarding the deplorable condition of Wayne Road between Wick and Van Born Roads, and request the County to repair the pot holes and low spots.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

4 Motion by Bergeron, supported by Block, to accept the Chairman's report as presented by Chairman Pro Tem., Jimmie C. Raspberry.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5A Motion by Bergeron, supported by Pennington, to concur with the recommendation of Mayor Beverly McAnally and adopt the following resolution:

REQUEST TO CONSIDER FUNDING
A DOWNRIVER SOLID WASTE FEASIBILITY
STUDY LEADING TO A MANAGEMENT PLAN

WHEREAS: In February 1988 the DCC (Downriver Community Conference) staff was directed to work with the Downriver Recycling Center to develop a proposal for funding a solid waste feasibility study; and

WHEREAS: Several efforts to secure private foundation funding for the jointly developed proposal have thus far proved unsuccessful; and

WHEREAS: The draft of Wayne County Solid Waste Management Plan has been issued which requires each community to reduce residential waste by 75% by the year 2000; and

WHEREAS: The fore-mentioned plan requires each Wayne County community to submit a waste reduction plan no later than January, 1990; and

WHEREAS: Current state programs for securing funds for implementing solid waste reduction plans, including "Clean Michigan" funds and the new bond issue funds, require the prior completion of "feasibility studies" leading to management plans prior to application; and

WHEREAS: There are no current state funds available for "feasibility studies" leading to management plans; and

WHEREAS: The completion of a "feasibility study" and management plan will likely take 6 months or more.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the DCC Board of Directors recommends that each DCC community consider making a contribution of \$2,500.00 by the end of January 1989 to fund a Solid Waste Disposal "Feasibility Study" which will lead to an area management plan for solid waste disposal.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that every community contributing to the funding of the "Feasibility Study" will be entitled to representation on the group developing the Downriver Management Plan.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5B NO ACTION TAKEN

5C Motion by Gear, supported by Block, to concur with the recommendation of Mayor McAnally, and appoint John Roundtree to the Property Disposition Committee to fill the position of an inactive member. Term to expire January, 1992.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5D Motion by Gear, supported by Block, to acknowledge receipt of the Budget Report dated December 19, 1988, as presented by Mayor Beverly McAnally.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5 Motion by Block, supported by Gear, to accept the Mayor's Report as presented by Mayor Beverly McAnally.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

6A1 Motion by Pennington, supported by Block, to adopt Budget Amendment C-88/89-11, as introduced in the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held January 3, 1989, by Resolution Number 89-012.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

6A2 Motion by Bergeron, supported by Gear, to concur with the request of City Clerk, Linda R. Choate, and grant authorization to attend the Clerks, Region V, meeting in Nashville, Tennessee on March 10 and 11, 1989.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

6A3 Motion by Gear, supported by Pennington, to adopt Chapter 36, Taxicab Ordinance, an ordinance to provide for the regulation, control and licensing of taxicabs and other vehicles for hire within the City of Romulus. A complete copy of said ordinance is on file in the City Clerk's office for review.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

6A4 Motion by Pennington, supported by Gear, to concur with City Clerk, Linda R. Choate, and adopt a resolution establishing fees for taxicabs and vehicles for hire in the City of Romulus, as follows:

WHEREAS: Chapter 36, An ordinance which provides for the regulation, control and licensing of Taxicabs and Vehicles for Hire, authorizes Romulus City Council to establish certain fees for implementation of said ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: By the City Council of the City of Romulus, that the following fees are hereby established for Taxicabs and Vehicles for Hire.

SECTION 4: Annual License Fee \$40.00

SECTION 8: Duplicate License Fee \$10.00

SECTION 13: Rates of Fare (Taxicabs)

\$1.10 per flag throw.

\$1.40 for the first mile and each mile thereafter.

\$3.00 minimum for telephone derived calls.

SECTION 14.01: Rates of Fare (Vehicles for Hire)

Rates of fare shall be the average of those rates charged by other companies offering comparable service.

SECTION 24: Public Driver License Fee \$20.00

SECTION 31.01 Appeal Fee \$20.00

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

6A5 Motion by Bergeron, supported by Pennington, to concur with Police Chief, Dansby and D.P.W. Director, James Panos, and rescind traffic control orders ST-216-73 and P-367-78 as follows:

RESCINDED - ST-216-713 (Stop 3-way)

All northbound and Southbound vehicular traffic on Woodmont Avenue shall STOP at Meadowhill Avenue and all Westbound Vehicular traffic on Meadowhill Avenue shall STOP at Woodmont Avenue.

RESCINDED - P-367-78 (No Parking)

NO PARKING signs on both side of Huron River Drive between Wabash and Eureka Roads.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

6A6 Motion by Gear, supported by Pennington, to approve the City of Romulus Council Meeting schedule for 1989. Same to be posted and published in accordance with Chapter 6.5 of the Romulus City Charter.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

9 Motion Pennington, supported by Bergeron, to forward a communication to the D.P.W. and Police Department to commence a traffic control feasibility study at the five-way intersection for placement of a "No turn on Red" sign off of Goddard and Huron River Drive.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

11 Motion by Bergeron, supported by Gear, to approve payment of Warrant #89-01 in the grand total amount of Three hundred forty one thousand, two hundred seventy six dollars and thirty one cents (\$341,276.31).

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

12 Motion by Bergeron, supported by Block, to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Block, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,
Linda R. Choate, CMC

I, Linda R. Choate, Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held January 9, 1989.

Linda R. Choate, CMC
Clerk, City of Romulus, Michigan

Publish: February 1, 1989

'Abolish abortion'

Local pro-lifers send message across state

By BARBARA ALBERT
ANP Staff Writer

Local supporters of the pro-life movement helped mark the 16th anniversary of the landmark Supreme Court decision in *Roe vs. Wade* with demonstrations at abortion clinics throughout the state capitol, in Lansing, last week.

Members of the group, however, are marching with more vigor and optimism than ever, believing the tide has turned in their favor.

"Michigan voters have spoken on the issue. They do not want tax-funded abortions," said Mashawn Blaylock, a regional spokeswoman for Right to Life.

In November, Michigan voters abolished tax-funded abortions. Right-to-life advocates believe they can take that decision one step further by lobbying to outlaw abortion in Michigan once and for all.

"Once the state has

answered the issue, that should be that," Blaylock said. "If the vote on the November ballot had been really close, I wouldn't have thought it would be possible. But the vote was so overwhelming that I think people here would outlaw abortion."

The ballot-proposal vote was 1.96 million - 1.49 million against tax-funded abortions.

Supporters of the pro-life movement have scored big points since the year began and are optimistic that a "win" is not too far away.

The first coup came when George Bush took the oath of office Jan. 20. Bush, a conservative, is a staunch supporter of the pro-life movement. His election offers pro-life advocates at least four more years of the "man at the top" on their side.

Perhaps the biggest coup, however, is the decision of the U.S. Supreme Court to hear another abortion case - one which could result in another

look at *Roe vs. Wade*.

Sixteen years ago, when the Supreme Court handed down the *Roe* ruling, justices upheld the right of a woman to seek an abortion. Pro-lifers think, this time, the results might be somewhat different.

"This could make their previous decision obsolete," Blaylock said.

The case the Supreme Court has chosen to hear is *Webster vs. Reproductive Health Services*. It revolves around a state statute in Missouri which states that life begins at conception and that no public money can be used to perform an abortion or to counsel women about this option. The statute was drafted in 1985, with an eye toward reversing *Roe vs. Wade*.

Blaylock and her fellow activists, however, will not wait for the Supreme Court decision. Rather, they will continue to stage demonstrations at abortion clinics and state their cause loudly.

'Allow women choice'

Pro-choice advocates prepare state battle

By BARBARA ALBERT
ANP Staff Writer

Representatives of the pro-choice abortion movement are not discouraged by conservative presidents or by the conservative nature of the U.S. Supreme Court. They see 1989 as a banner year and are prepared for battle.

"This is a critical year, we have to get a lot of support," said Helen Howell, a spokeswoman for the Michigan Religious Coalition for Abortion Rights.

As the anniversary of the landmark abortion-rights court decision *Roe vs. Wade* passed last month, members of the U.S. Supreme Court agreed to hear another abortion case which could make the *Roe* decision obsolete.

In 1973, the justices set a precedent in *Roe* which made abortion legal throughout the country. Now, a Missouri case tests that precedent. A ruling by the High Court could send the decision of legalization of abortion back to the states.

The case, *Webster vs. Reproductive Health Services*, involves a Missouri state law that has been declared unconstitutional by lower federal courts. Proponents of the law have appealed the lower-court rulings to the U.S. Supreme Court.

The Missouri law would prohibit the use of public monies to counsel women to have abortions, and no public facilities - including hospitals - could be used for the operations unless they were necessary to save the mother's life.

The law would also place on the Missouri statutes the facts that "the life of each human being begins at conception" and "unborn children have protectable interests in life, health and well being."

Local members of the Michigan groups which believe abortion should remain legal are watching the Missouri case very closely.

"I look to the overturning of *Roe vs. Wade* with dread," Howell said.

She is not, however, predicting the outcome of the Missouri case.

If members of the Supreme Court return the abortion decision to the states, members of the pro-choice movement would be faced with a new fight - educating Michigan voters about the rights of women to choose for themselves.

"I think the legislature here would certainly try (to make abortion illegal), but I don't think the voters would allow it," Howell said.

In the wake of a Nov. 8 decision by Michigan voters that eliminated Medicaid funding of

abortions, a telephone poll revealed that most Michigan residents would not vote to ban abortions. Howell and other pro-choice advocates believe the polls speak the truth.

And, as for talk of a constitutional amendment prohibiting abortions, Howell and others believe such a proposal is unlikely to ever become a reality.

"I think the signs on Capitol Hill are confusing," Howell said. "I don't think George Bush will take the stand everybody is expecting him to take, unless it becomes necessary to him politically."

The Michigan Religious Coalition for Abortion Rights is just one of many groups which defend legalized abortions. They, however, have been placed in an unusual situation, because those who want to end abortions - pro-life advocates - claim to be affiliated with religious groups.

"The pro-life movement has clearly become a religious anti-abortion movement," Howell said, as she recalled prayer meetings staged in front of abortion clinics and signs bearing the names of religious figures. "We do not advo-

cate abortion, but we support choice."

"They shouldn't put their religious doctrine into the Constitution," she continued.

Pro-choice advocates believe that women do not demand abortions, but they make difficult choices about their lives. Women, they say, should be permitted to choose what they consider best for themselves and, in many cases, what would be best for the unborn child.

While other pro-life organizations have been staging counter demonstrations at abortion clinics in the state, members of the Religious Coalition for Abortion Rights have taken other steps. Howell and her colleagues are trained as escorts for women entering the clinics.

"They are trained to focus all of their attention on the needs of the woman and not on the demonstrations going on outside," Howell said. "I would like to see the demonstrations staged elsewhere."

Members of the Religious Coalition are now enlisting the support and aid of members of the clergy throughout the state.

School budget hearing set

The public session to discuss the annual budget of the Wayne County Intermediate School District will be staged at 7 p.m. Feb. 15 at the WCISD offices on Van Born Road.

Hearing-related activities beginning at 6 p.m. will include sessions on the budget process, an overview of the WCISD and a tour of the facilities. The actual budget presentation will begin at 7.

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Opinion

Belleville future is partly 'in the mail'

The announcement of a \$2.9 million postal facility, to replace the existing Belleville Post Office in 1991, has been received with mixed emotions by the people it will serve.

On one hand, the promise of a large, updated facility to serve the growing needs of the population drew a positive response for the efforts of U.S. Rep. William Ford (D-Taylor), chairman of the House Post Office and Civil Service Commission, and the local officials who worked diligently to gain the new facility. There is no doubt that the new structure will provide a positive impact on the area it will serve.

However, the planned relocation of the post office from the "heart of the city" site on Charles Street to the I-94 Service Drive-Belleville Road area was a bitter disappointment to those who are laboring to revitalize downtown Belleville.

The loss of the post office will not only leave another vacant structure in the center of town, but it will divert traffic—and potential shoppers—from the downtown area. It will be an inconvenience to many downtown business owners who used the postal services "just down the street" from their shops and offices on a daily basis.

The relocation will be a hardship for many senior citizens who now walk from their homes or the nearby apartment complex to the post office. Already, these older city residents are asking questions about how they will be able to arrange transportation to the new facility.

If a full-service post office cannot remain in downtown Belleville, we hope postal officials will seriously consider establishing a satellite center on Main Street to serve the needs of the business community and the elderly residents of the city.

Winterfest is wonderful

The odds Mother Nature provided were difficult to overcome. But organizers and supporters of the Wayne Winterfest last weekend were clearly hands-down winners.

The winter festival was designed, obviously, to coincide with a white winter wonderland and chilly temperatures. Mother Nature, however, did not oblige—as festival-goers "basked" in temperatures that topped out at more than 50 degrees.

The weather didn't dampen the success story of the four-day event, however. The festival ice-skating show Friday was sold out, and the old-timers hockey game Saturday was almost a sellout.

The ice sculptures throughout town—sponsored by the Wayne Merchants Association—were the topics of many conversations, even though they melted and collapsed before the festival ended.

The wooden promotional snowmen scattered throughout the city were also the mark of a very organized and well-planned event.

We're lauding members of the Wayne Recreation Commission, the Wayne Recreation Department and Wayne merchants for contributing to this success story. Although the winter festival is an annual event, we were particularly impressed with the advanced planning and high-style events that made the 1989 event one worth remembering.

We hope festival organizers will remember and capitalize upon their success story next year. With or without Mother Nature's help, future events of this caliber in Wayne will add to the new progressive spirit of the city.

All it takes is the cooperation, planning and hard work that made the 1989 Wayne Winterfest wonderful.

Drug war can be won

It truly is an uphill battle, but the war on drugs can be won if area citizens continue to work together and support the effort.

This week, we are focusing on the western Wayne County drug problem and exposing the very serious threat it poses to our well being. A drug dealer could be living on your block or right next door. And, as one officer admitted, "they'll kill you for \$50."

Area citizens must work together to stamp out this national scourge. Report suspicious activities in your neighborhood immediately to the police. An investigation by public-safety officials will, at the least, calm your fears.

Most importantly, all of us must send the message to area drug users, abusers and dealers that we won't tolerate or support their business.



Editor's note: Because of the large number of letters to the editor, our Viewpoints photo-comment feature will not be published until next week.

Health centers are a 'grand illusion'

When recently asked what my objections were to a teen health center in Romulus, I had to consider every facet involving the majority of teen health centers. After extensive research, this is what I have surmised.

The majority of teen health centers entail corruption (money), deception (hidden truths), delusion (error), collusion (conniving), manipulation (of public), circumvention (referrals services), infection (contamination of youth, venereal disease), fornication (early sexual activity), protection (condoms, confidentiality), contraception (birth control), selection (popular youth coerced to promote center to peers), abortion (termination of pregnancy), destruction (of moral values), termination (end of child-parent relationships), sterilization (result of abortion) and extinction (of virtues and minority-group eradication).

To rectify the possibility of having a teen health center, I have considered these alternatives—solution (answer), reflection (consideration), conviction (persuasion), deduction (conclusion), correction (rectification), construction (formation of values), production (creation of virtue, rather than vice).

In conclusion, I believe teen-health centers are a grand illusion.

Sonda Stepchuk
Romulus

Educators active in funding fight

Your editorial of Jan. 18 presents such a narrow point of view that I take strong exception to your position. To claim that the education leaders in Wayne-Westland have not been involved in the battle to change Michigan's inequitable system of funding public education is myopic.

You cite our lack of aggressive involvement with two recently organized groups, the Michigan In-Formula Caucus and the Boards United for Fair Funding of Schools, as your reason for criticism. However, you fail to recognize our active participation in other efforts which are certainly recognized as formidable advocates of equitable funding.

The two "in formula" groups you identified are working for a single purpose. However, other efforts and many respected and professional organizations have

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also been working for equitable funding.

Wayne-Westland has been actively involved in the Equal Partners efforts, in which school districts have organized teams consisting of parents, school board members, administrators and teachers. (The group) made an impact in Lansing through their lobbying efforts during the last session.

Wayne-Westland is one of 10 districts which comprise the Metropolitan Association for Improved School Legislation. Equitable funding has been the number-one priority of MAISL for a number of years with the support of both our in-formula and out-of-formula districts.

Individually, I don't know of a school district whose board members are more actively involved in the pursuit of quality education and equitable funding than Wayne-Westland. Whenever there is an activity, a rally, an in-service or any chance to lobby the cause, I can assure you that Wayne-Westland's board of education is well-represented.

The purpose of my letter is to emphasize that the united effort of all concerned groups is the only chance of success for equitable funding. The education leaders of Wayne-Westland have been actively involved in the battle for achieving this goal for years.

Our selection of active participation in efforts other than the two organizations cited in your editorial indicates our commitment to accomplishing quality education through equitable funding.

Dennis O'Neill
Superintendent
Wayne-Westland schools

Editor's note: To further clarify the original editorial, the Van Buren school district, in December, did pay dues to become an active member of the Boards United for Fair Funding of Schools.

Traffic safety needs new look

A person is in the hospital because a hit-and-run driver, speeding to the right of traffic on Newburgh Road, south of Warren, was in a hurry.

Someone had an accident south of Ford Road, trying to pass traffic on the right side and then cutting cars off, trying to merge.

I drive on Newburgh every day, and this happens every day.

Also, with traffic allowed to travel 40 to 45 mph on Wayne Road, it doesn't make sense to have the post office delivering mail at the curb.

I witnessed one accident because of this. I wouldn't want to be in that mail vehicle. It's like a sitting target.

When the police arrest someone, many times it is to protect the public against a hazard. Why, then, are the ones responsible for this terrible hazard allowed to continue this practice?

It's like saying, "It's all right for us but not for you."

These are two hazards I hope someone will correct now, not later, waiting for the widening of Newburgh or until someone is killed on Wayne Road.

Carleton J. Tucker
Westland

Community spirit should be lauded

I attended a public-information meeting Dec. 7 at the Romulus City Hall hosted by Metro Airport officials. At this meeting, progress on the Part 15-Noise Compatibility Planning Study and the Master Plan Update were discussed.

As both a 22-year resident and councilman, I felt it was gratifying to see the progress that has been made in communications between the Airport Authority and the citizens of Romulus. This "open door" communication policy was started in the Oakley/Lucas administrations and has continued, with even more vigor, through the McAnally/McNamara administrations.

For the first time in the years that I have been a resident of this city, the airport management, under the able direction of Richard Jamison, director of airports, and Daniel Kerber, deputy director, has been making a serious attempt to establish a good-neighbor rapport with the city and residents.

Open communication is a giant step in the right direction, and I applaud all concerned.

William Wadsworth
Romulus councilman

Firefighters are the unsung heroes

The unsung heroes... The large fire at the Big Boy restaurant and the subsequent reporting by the local media and the Detroit TV stations have prompted me to write.

All too often, we take things for granted, and one only has to talk to the uninformed citizen who believes that professional firefighters sit around the station all day, drink coffee, play checkers, watch TV and wait for an emergency to happen and, if it occurs, to respond and to take care of the emergency.

Today, at the Big Boy, West-

land firefighters showed the high degree of professional training and self discipline that they have, in the manner that the incident occurred.

Upon arriving, Capt. Michael Reddy led his men to the roof of the building to ring it "spongy," and ordered his men off the roof. Upon attempting to enter the rear of the building, the roof appeared to be sagging, and Reddy ordered the building evacuated, which, in my opinion, saved his men from possible tragedy.

The opposite could have occurred, with firefighters and residents suffering the loss of their men. Westland firefighters are highly dedicated and should be commended for their actions in providing the highest degree of service to the community.

Joseph F. Benyo
Former firefighter
Westland

Holiday food plan is a huge success

The Senior Alliance has initiated a program to address the needs of homebound seniors. Our holiday meals-on-wheels program began at Thanksgiving and has become successful because of the large amount of community support.

It has been wonderful to see the number of individuals and organizations that truly appreciate what they have given so willingly to others.

Our sincerest thanks goes to the dozens of volunteers who gave a portion of their holiday to visit those individuals who were alone. Young and old alike came from many communities to participate and often brought a homemade gift to accompany the meal.

Also, a word of praise to the three area hospitals, Riverside Osteopathic, Botsford General and Westland Medical Center, for preparing more than 600 meals for us during Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Martin Fleming
Chairman of the board
The Senior Alliance

Return to basics, not health center

Concerning a teen-health center in the Romulus schools, I have a sound suggestion. Let's go back to the basics and let the schools be educational facilities, rather than medical facilities.

After all, this is the main purpose of schools, isn't it? To teach the students, not treat the students.

Belva Chapman
Romulus

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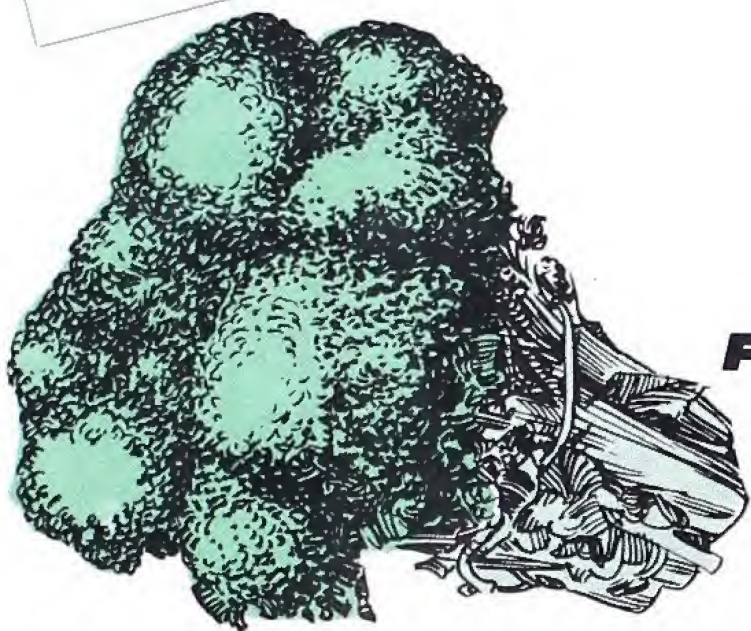


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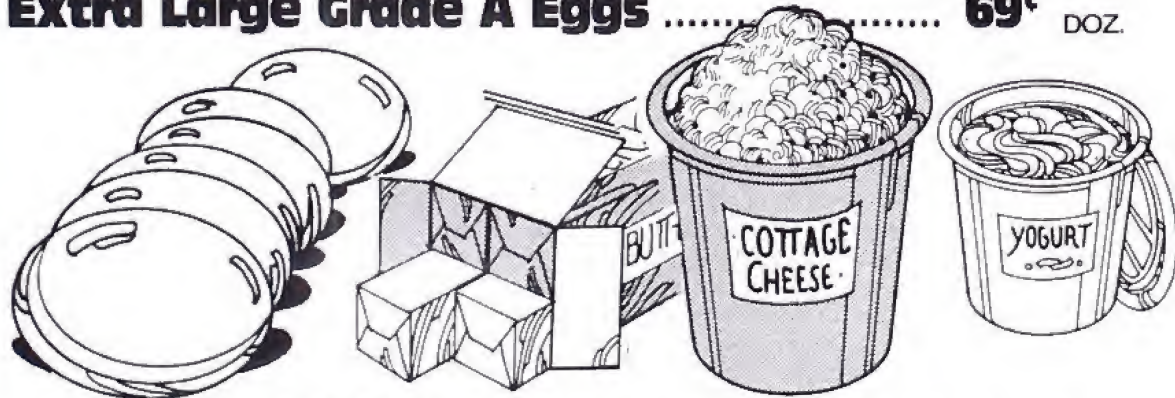
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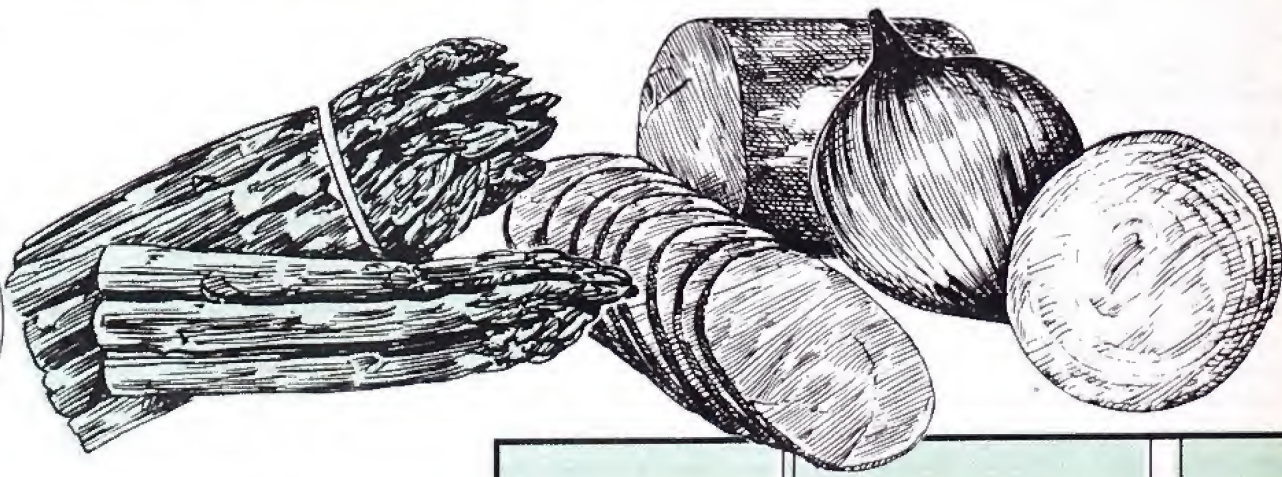
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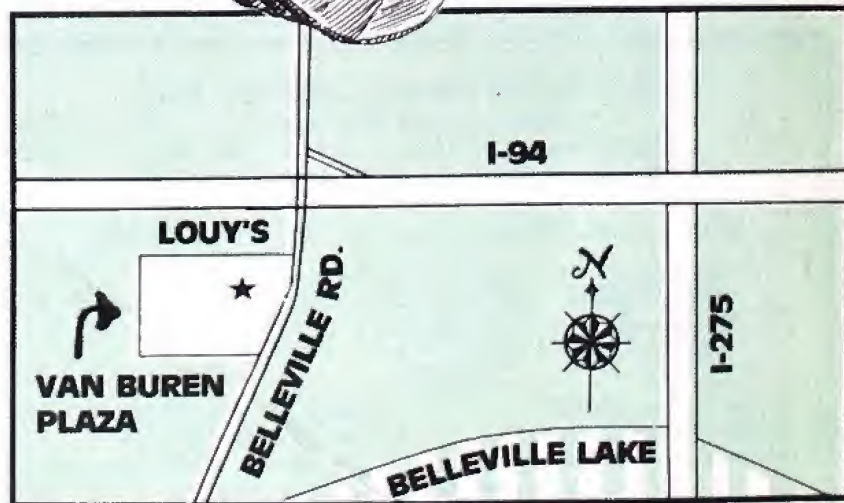


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Dear Reader:

Are you living next door to a drug dealer? Perhaps, your neighbor only uses and abuses drugs.

He or she may also be involved in assorted crimes — against you and your property.

The drug problem in western Wayne County is alarming. Last year, \$1.9 million worth of illicit substances were confiscated by local law-enforcement personnel.

The local operations are termed "mid-level" by police officials. Mid-level means the drug buyers, sellers and users are middle-income people living in almost every residential community in the area. These mid-level drug participants are responsible for 70 to 80 percent of all area crime — auto thefts, robberies, burglaries and others.

They are also dangerous people. As one police officer admitted, "These guys on the street level will kill you for \$50."

This special look at the drug problem in western Wayne County is the first installment of the 11-part series we are calling "Community Concerns." Last month, we asked area residents and leaders what they were most worried about during 1989. The 11 most frequent answers became our list of "Community Concerns."

Each month, we will focus on one of those 11 concerns, explore the problem, explain what is being done to combat it and describe what you can — or can't — do to help.

This month, we focus on drugs.

"This scourge will stop," proclaimed President George Bush during his Jan. 20 inaugural address. He was talking about drugs. He was talking about his stepped-up efforts to combat the growing drug problem in our nation.

But can those efforts work in western Wayne County? Let's find out.

Ray Day

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Managing Editor

Obvious problem has no immediate, simple solutions

By JIM RINK
and BARBARA ALBERT
ANP Staff Writers

To say that drugs are invading western Wayne County is simply stating the obvious. To say that between 70 and 80 percent of all crime in the area is drug-related is also obvious.

What is not clear, however, is why the problem exists and how to stop it.

In 1987-88, undercover officers of the Western Wayne County Narcotics Unit seized 19,000 grams or \$1.9 million worth of cocaine.

"Yes, we have drugs in our community," said Executive Lt. Mike Frayer, of the Westland Police Department. "Any time you have drugs in the community, it's a problem. Right now, we're experiencing an influx of crack cocaine."

In a middle-income community like Westland, Frayer said, some of the worst drug abusers might be living right next door.

"The kids have a lot of money," Frayer said. "This is coupled with the fact that we have a culture that has a tendency to take substances. Look at the pain-killer commercials. We are accustomed to taking something to feel better, having our wants and needs fulfilled immediately."



Last year, police officials like Lt. Michael Frayer (above), of the Westland Police Department, confiscated more than \$1.9 million in illegal drugs. Most were obtained in raids on street-level operations. ANP photo by Ann Grimes/staff photographer



The problem, Frayer said, is that, once someone takes cocaine to "feel better," the drug becomes highly addictive, binding that person to a life of crime in order to support his or her habit.

The Westland police department narcotics unit handles between 15 and 20 cases per month, according to Frayer. Westland police also belongs to the Western Wayne County Narcotics Unit, an alliance of several local law-enforcement agencies combining resources and manpower to shut down "mid-level" drug operations.

The mid-level operations are those which supply the street dealer, grossing between \$40,000 and \$50,000 per deal. Such operations are not large enough for federal intervention but are large enough to require extensive undercover efforts.

"We conduct surveillances, investigations. It takes a long time," Frayer said. "In every drug house we raid, we come across weapons. Most of these people use several different substances. They use all kinds of different things, in

all kinds of combinations. They're dangerous people."

Among the drugs readily available, Frayer said, are LSD, marijuana, cocaine, heroine, PCP, amphetamines and barbituates.

"There's a fallacy in western Wayne County that there's not a lot of cocaine use," said John Santomauro, director of public safety for Canton Township. "Cocaine is a problem. In Canton Township, we are experiencing now a number of people coming from outside the community."

"It's very difficult to establish how much of that crime falls into the drug-related area. The people we tend to find tend to be more of the career criminal."

Canton is ranked highest among western Wayne County communities in the number of undercover cocaine "buys," according to statistics released by the regional task force, headquartered near Canton Township.

Undercover officers made 28 cocaine buys during 1987-88 in Canton, compared to 26 in Inkster and 25 in Westland.

Santomauro believes the close proximity of the task force to Canton Township resulted in more aggressive investigation in that area.

Michigan State Police statistics indicate that, in 1987-88, out of a total of 35 crime cases referred to the Northville Post Forensic Center from Canton, eight were narcotics cases.

Out of 281 cases submitted by police in Inkster, 178 were narcotics cases. Second highest was Romulus, with 72 drug cases submitted. Third-highest was Westland, with 34.

Cocaine is the drug of choice.

During the same period, state police officials

investigated 1,907 cocaine cases, 1,207 marijuana cases and 117 centering around opiates such as heroine and morphine. Those numbers are for western Wayne County alone.

"We have a problem," said Police Chief Willard Dockter, of Belleville. "It's not to the magnitude of some cities, but we do have our share of crack, marijuana, cocaine. Generally it's the people who live here who are users."

"It seems to me there is a bit of a decline in drug-related crime. It may just be a lull, but the reports seem to be not as frequent. I don't want to be over-optimistic."

Private citizens in Belleville and outlying areas, in cooperation with Dockter, have recently formed the Belleville, Van Buren, Sumpster Substance Abuse Task Force to help solve the problem of drug abuse in their communities.

"It's still new, but the cooperation is certainly there," Dockter said. "We have a lot of support from the school system."

In terms of sheer volume of illicit substances, no place has more drugs in a given spot than Detroit Metro Airport, in Romulus.

Drug trafficking there is a major problem, according to Lt. Robert Brown, of the Romulus department. But few of the drugs remain near the airport.

"I would say (Romulus is) in the ballpark with other cities," Brown said. "The problem is that drugs are involved with other crimes. Most of our cases are self-initiated by officers who find marijuana on a traffic stop, for instance."

"In-depth investigations are handled by the cooperative units."

Romulus police officials are currently involved in cooperative efforts with the federal Drug Enforcement Administration and the Downriver Anti-Narcotics Organization, also known as DRANO.

One Romulus detective, who asked not to be identified, has served as the city representative on DRANO and the DEA. He said the efforts of DRANO are geared toward mid-level enforcement but leave a major gap in the area of street-level narcotics crime.

One new program proposed to attack street-level drug dealing is the formation of a major-crimes unit in the area.

"Those units designed for mid-level enforcement are not the answer for street-level enforcement," the detective said. "Guys at DRANO target the dealers making \$40,000 to \$50,000 deals. They did good work, but our problem is the guy on the corner — the numerous drug houses."

Under the new plan, additional manpower would conduct surveillance and other activities to make a concerted effort to halt street-level narcotics crime.

Is it dangerous work?

"Yes," said the detective, with a chuckle. "These guys on the street level, they'll kill you for \$50."

Local task force is only 1 answer

The Western Wayne County Narcotics Unit is one answer to the area drug problem.

The unit, a joint operation between the Michigan State Police and area communities, allows for in-depth undercover investigations which smaller police departments might not be able to conduct independently. Participating communities contribute either personnel or cash to the operation and, in return, receive a special force trained to track drug dealers.

"The communities can put one man in, and they benefit from a 10-man force," said Lt. John Shewell, unit commander for the WWCNU.

The work of the 10-officer narcotics unit has paid off. A nine-week investigation at the Hickory Hollow housing cooperative, in Wayne, resulted in five arrests and the confiscation of drugs and money earlier this month.

Communities contributing manpower to the WWCNU are Westland, Wayne, Livonia, Van Buren Township, Canton Township and Garden City. The communities of Belleville, Plymouth and Northville contribute to the unit financially.

A war begins in schools

Early education may be answer to problem

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

The war has begun. In our schools.

As drugs become one of the most serious problems facing youngsters today, law-enforcement officials are heading into the classrooms to curb the problem.

The message of "Just Say No" is being heard loud and clear in the kindergarten classrooms and in the high-school hallways.

Police officers in Wayne and Westland often speak to classes and student groups about drug abuse and the ramifications of it.

One participant, Capt. Jim Marshall, of the Wayne police department, often describes a scenario in which each student imagines his or her own home being raided.

"It does carry a lot of impact," Marshall said.

Lt. Michael Frayer, of the Westland Police Department, takes a realist

approach when he speaks about drugs.

"This is what it is. This is what is will do to you," Frayer tells area students.

Police officials work with Romulus students through Drug Abuse Resistance Education, geared toward older elementary-school students. The 17-week program focuses on drug use and misuse, self-esteem, decision making, alternatives to drug use and resistance measures.

Officials from the Van Buren school district are also considering the implementation of the DARE program.

Many districts are involved in staff training, to recognize substance-abuse symptoms and to provide help. Staff members in the Wayne-Westland, Van Buren and Romulus schools are being trained by representatives of the Knopf Institute through the Southeast Michigan Substance Abuse Services.

Beth Combs, a consultant for Knopf, explained the purpose of the training.

"A lot of what we try to do is give them a chance to talk about their fears, validate their feelings," Combs said. "What we try to do with the little kids is talk about feelings."



Elementary programs such as DARE help combat drug problems at an early age by providing children with drug-awareness information. Farrand Elementary fifth-graders Robert Ankofski (left) and Kristi Wright graduated from the DARE awareness program Friday in the Plymouth-Canton schools. State Police trooper Bob Garcia (center) presented their diplomas. ANP photo by Ann Grimes/staff photographer

Where to seek help

For those who have a drug problem, finding help is frightening. But help is available.

Many hospitals, schools and counseling centers have programs designed for those needing treatment for substance abuse.

Counselors urge those who are dependent on drugs and their family members to seek help. Parents who fear that their children are becoming involved in drugs may also request assistance to stop the problem before it becomes "too big to handle."

The following centers may be able to offer some assistance and direction.

- Community Care Services — 397 Main Street, Belleville, 697-7880.
- Eastwood Community Clinics — 418 Main Street, Belleville, 699-4212.
- Community Commission on Drug Abuse — 13325 Farmington Road, Livonia, 261-3760.
- Eastwood Community Clinics — 14600 Farmington Road, Livonia, 425-4070.
- Romulus Help Center — 35085 Goddard Road, Romulus, 942-7585.
- Hegira Programs, Inc. Alcohol Treatment Center/Drug Rehab Center — 2345 Merriman Road, Westland, 721-5190.
- Community Commission on Drug Abuse/Westland Counseling Center — 2535 S. Wayne Road, Westland, 326-4320.
- Community Commission on Drug Abuse/Adolescent Recovery Center — 28550 Ann Arbor Trail, Westland, 425-0636.

— Compiled by Barbara Albert

NEW ARRIVALS

Lindsey Polderdyke

Lindsey Jorden Polderdyke was born the new child of Phil and Nancy Polderdyke, of Garden City, at 11:03 Nov. 24 - Thanksgiving Day - at Annapolis Hospital, in Wayne.

The infant made her debut weighing 7 pounds 12 1/2 ounces and measuring 20 1/2 inches.

She is the new sister of Lacey, 2; the new granddaughter of Dolores Omilion, of Westland, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Polderdyke, of Fife Lake, Mich.; and the new great-granddaughter of Vincent Martin, of St Petersburg, Fla.

Christopher Thompson

Christopher Martin Thompson was born the first child of Lisa and Gregory Thompson, of Thinbark Street, Wayne, at 1:47 p.m. Dec. 1 at Providence Hospital, in Southfield.

The infant made his debut weighing 10 pounds 10 ounces and measuring 22 1/4 inches.

He is the new grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thompson, of Plymouth, and Adam and the late Agnes Kurtinaitis, of Wayne; the new great-grandson of Hilda Beilawski, of Roseville; and the new nephew of Martin Thompson, of Boca-Raton, Fla., Kathy Davis, of Wayne, Monica Kurtinaitis, of Sterling Heights, Christie Kurtinaitis, of Ypsilanti, and Margaret Voorhess, of Howell.

Erin Moreno

Erin Leigh Moreno was born the new child of Gonzalo and Sharon Moreno, of Birchwood, Westland, at 7:14 p.m. Jan. 15 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ann Arbor.

The infant made his debut weighing 8 pounds 12 1/2 ounces and measuring 20 1/4 inches.

He is the new brother of Nathan, 6; and the new grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Gyula Takacs, of Westland, and Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Moreno, of Westland.

Amanda Timson

Amanda Rose Timson was born the new child of Eric and Kathy Timson, of Rand Road, Canton, at 1:15 a.m. Jan. 14.

The infant made her debut weighing 8 pounds 14 1/2 ounces and measuring 22 inches.

She is the new sister of Andrew, 3; and Sarah Elizabeth, 19 months; the new granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Czajka, of Warren, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Timson, of Farwell; and the new great-granddaughter of Rose Czajka, of Melvindale, and Carol Timson, of Galion, Ohio.

Corey Hajduk

Corey Wayne Hajduk was born the new child of John and Vickie Hajduk, of Steinhauer Street, Westland, at 10:31 p.m. Jan. 6 at Annapolis Hospital, in Wayne.

The infant made his debut weighing 9 pounds 9 ounces and measuring 21 3/4 inches.

He is the new brother of Danny, 4, and Nicole, 2; the new grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hajduk, of Wayne, and Mr. and Mrs. John Rhea, of Westland; and the new great-grandson of Maggie Butts, of Rocky Pointe, N.C.

Lauren Hall

Lauren Elizabeth Hall was born the new child of Brian and Robbie Hall, of Winifred Street, Wayne, at 6:35 a.m. Jan. 5 at Henry Ford Hospital, in Detroit.

The infant made her debut weighing 8 pounds and measuring 20 inches.

She is the new sister of Barrett, 2; and the new granddaughter of Grace Hall, of Orlando, Fla., Vilas Hall, of Boyd, Wis., and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leslie, of Decker.

Andrew Pucci

Andrew James Pucci II was born the new child of Andrew and Frances Pucci, of South Orchard Circle, Westland, at 11:50 p.m. Dec. 21 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, in Ann Arbor.

The infant made his debut weighing 7 pounds 1 1/2 ounces and measuring 20 inches.

He is the new brother of Ashley Loren, 3; the new grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pucci, of Wayne, Melvin Harmon, of Ypsilanti, and the late Frances Harmon, of

Christopher Field

Christopher Jon-Louis Field was born the new child of Jerry and Donna Field, of Pardo Street, Westland, at 6:31 a.m. Dec. 27 at Annapolis Hospital, in Wayne.

The infant made his debut weighing 8 pounds 4 ounces and measuring 20 inches.

He is the new brother of Michele Renee, 8, and Tama Lynn, 7; the new grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Wojcik, Monica Wojcik and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Field; and the new great-grandson of Mr. and Mrs. John Grima.

Alexandrea Ammon

Alexandrea Marie Ammon was born the first child of Randal and Peggy Ammon, of Van Buren, Belleville, at 11:02 a.m. Dec. 29 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ann Arbor.

The infant made her debut weighing 7 pounds 2 1/2 ounces.

She is the new granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Clayton, of Belleville, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford H. Ammon, of Belleville.



Andrew James Pucci II

Wakefield; and the new great-grandson of Margaret Pucci, of Margate, Fla.

Zachary Smith

Zachary Kenneth Earl Smith was born the new child of Ken and Marie Smith, of Bendix Street, Wayne, at 1:35 p.m. Dec. 5 at Annapolis Hospital, in Wayne.

The infant made his debut weighing 8 pounds 5 ounces and measuring 20 inches.

He is the new brother of Clarissa Anne Marie, 1; the new grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Christman, of Romulus, and Marlene Smith, of Belleville; the new great-grandson of Georgia Cox, of Wayne, and Tom Taylor, of Cheboygan; and the new great-great-grandson of Merle Forsythe, of Wayne.

Ashley Reitz

Ashley Renee Reitz was born the new child of Gene and Robin Reitz, of Flat Rock, at 3:24 a.m. Dec. 5 at Riverside Hospital, in Trenton.

The infant made her debut weighing 7 pounds 9 ounces and measuring 20 inches.

She is the new sister of Andrea Lauren, 21 months; and the new granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Taig, of Westland, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reitz.

SOON TO WED

Herdon - Watts

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Herdon, of Michele Drive, Romulus, announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathy Marie, to Richard Andrew Watts Jr., of Oakbrook, Romulus. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Watts, of Oakbrook, Romulus.

The bride-to-be is a 1984 graduate of Romulus Senior High School. She works at Sky Chefs-Northwest, at Metro Airport. She also has completed the H&R Block income-tax course and will be working for that firm during tax season.

The groom-to-be is a 1983 graduate of Romulus Senior



Watts - Herdon

High School. He works at Saf-Ti Glass Distributors, Inc., in Livonia.

No wedding date has been set.

Fales - Spisak

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fales, of Hubbard Street, Wayne, announce the engagement of their daughter, Keri Beth, to Anthony Joseph Spisak, of Harvey Street, Westland. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Spisak, of Harvey Street, Westland.

The bride-to-be is a 1987 graduate of Wayne Memorial High School and is attending the University of Michigan, in Ann Arbor. She works at Movieland, in Westland.

The groom-to-be is a 1986 graduate of Wayne Memorial High School. He is employed



Spisak - Fales

by the Wayne-Westland Community Schools.

The two are planning a June 3 wedding.

JUST MARRIED

Gillespig - Fulner

Mary A. Gillespig and Paul F. Fulner, of Ecorse Road, Belleville, were married Dec. 15 during an evening ceremony at the Candlelight Wedding Chapel, in Las Vegas.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Gamble, of Ann Arbor. She is a 1963 graduate of Ann Arbor High School. She works as a secretary/bookkeeper for Power Train Design and Manufacturing.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fulner, of Rockwood. He attended Dearborn High School and works as a mason contractor.

The Rev. Jim Hamilton, of Sunrise Community Church, officiated during the double-ring ceremony. The chapel was decorated with poinsettias and large, red pew bows.

Organ music was provided. The bride wore a white silk and lace blouse with blue suit. She carried a bouquet of red roses, baby's breath and lace.

The groom wore a light-blue suit with a white silk shirt.

The two remained in Las Vegas for their honeymoon. They were taken to and from the chapel in a limousine.

They have made their new home in Belleville.



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Dr. Hamparian is president of Oakwood Dental Center, a general dental practice located in the Oakwood Hospital Medical Building, Dearborn. He teaches head and neck anatomy at Wayne State University's School of Medicine, and is a fellow of the American Association of Hospital Dentists.

HELP YOUR CHILD SAY, "LOOK MOM, NO CAVITIES!"

By Arthur Hamparian, D.D.S.

(February is National Children's Dental Health Month.)

It is estimated that nearly one-half of all American children under age 17 have no cavities. There are several steps you can take to help your child join this ever-growing population.

Good habits can begin before birth. Pregnant women should develop a diet rich in calcium, phosphorous, and vitamins A, C, and D—the main building blocks for healthy teeth and their surrounding bone and gums.

Every day, expectant mothers should consume 1,200 milligrams of calcium, from milk, cheese, yogurt, or supplements.

CLEAN BABY TEETH

Teeth-cleaning should be done as soon as that first tooth pops through the gums at about 6 months. Clean baby teeth by wiping them with gauze or a damp washcloth. As the child grows older and more teeth appear, you can use a very soft toothbrush.

In addition to wiping or brushing the new teeth, wash the gum area at the neck of the tooth. And, as the child's teeth develop, floss gently.

CONTROL SUGAR INTAKE

While sugar itself is not harmful if brushed or wiped off quickly, damage does occur when sweets are eaten frequently or left on the teeth for a long time. Thus, sugar intake should be controlled at an early age.

With infants, it is important to avoid the "nursing-bottle syndrome," caused when a baby is given a bottle of milk, formula, or fruit juice for long periods during the day or at bedtime. Sugars in these liquids are used by bacteria in the mouth to make acids which attack and gradually dissolve enamel.

This is preventable by not allowing your child to fall asleep with a bottle filled with anything other than water.

TEACH THEM TO BRUSH

A child can be taught to use a toothbrush as early as age 2 or 3, but parental supervision is essential, and a thorough back-up brushing and flossing is recommended until the child is 8 or 9.

At the bare minimum, brushing should be done after breakfast and before bedtime.

Next week: The first dental visit, the importance of fluoride, and a word on snacks.

WANT INFORMATION?

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CLUBS, GROUPS

ADVOCATES TOASTMASTERS CLUB — Members meet at 6:30 p.m. every Thursday at the Elias Brothers restaurant, on Wayne Road, at Hunter, north of Ford, Westland. Guests and prospective members are welcome. Call 561-8853.

ORAL MAJORITY TOASTMASTERS — Members meet at 5:45 p.m. each Tuesday at Denny's restaurant, Ann Arbor Road at I-275, Canton Township. The group is a nonprofit education program of public speaking in communication and leadership, designed in a club atmosphere. Call Phyllis at 455-1635.

TUESDAY NIGHT SINGLES — Members meet from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the Grotto Club, 2070 W. Stadium Blvd., Ann Arbor. Dance class is from 7:15 to 8:30. Married couples and guests are welcome. Call 971-4480.

SINGLES GROUP — Dancing is featured from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. every Thursday at Bishop Foley's Knights of Columbus Hall, at Helen and Michigan Avenue, three blocks west of Greenfield, across from the Dearborn Civic Center. Married couples and guests are welcome.

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS — Members of the support group for overeaters meet at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday at St. John's Episcopal Church, 555 S. Wayne Road, Westland. Call 722-6178 or 595-0727.

PHOENIX SINGLES — A dance party begins every Sunday at the Knights of Columbus Monaghan Hall, 19801 Farmington Road, between Seven and Eight Mile roads, Livonia. Dancing is from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Admission is \$4. The event is open to all singles 25 and older. Call 476-8383.

ROMA'S SUNDAY SINGLES — Every Sunday night is dance-party night at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill, at Venoy. Dancing begins at 8:30 p.m. and continues until 12:30 a.m. Call 425-1430.

PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS — Members of Parents Without Partners Downriver chapter 369 meet at 8:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of each month at the Taylor Moose Lodge, 9981 S. Telegraph, Taylor. Call 285-9797.

YWCA POSTMASTECTOMY GROUP — Members of the National YWCA postmastectomy discussion, exercise and support program for women meet from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. every Monday, at the Dearborn Athletic Club. Call 561-4110.

INKSTER SINGLES GROUP — An Inkster singles group is forming. Interested individuals at least 30 years old may call 729-1835, after 4 p.m.

TRI-COUNTY SINGLES — A dance party is set from 8:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. Feb. 4 at the Farmington Elks Club, 23666 Orchard Lake Road, south of 10 Mile Road, Farmington. Those attending must be at least 21 years old. Cost is \$4. Also, a dance party is staged from 8:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. every Wednesday at the Taylor Moose Lodge, 9981 S. Telegraph Road. Cost is \$3. Call 643-8917.

NEW BEGINNINGS — Members of the group, a free community-service program for those who have lost a loved one through death, divorce or distance, meet from 7 to 9 p.m. every Monday at Plymouth Church of Christ, 9301 Sheldon Road, Plymouth. Call 453-7630.

T.G.I.F. SINGLES — A dance party is

set for 8:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. Feb. 3 at the Presidential Inn, I-75 at Northline Road, Southgate. Cost is \$4. Call the "hotline," 843-8917.

BETHANY WEST — Members of Bethany West play volleyball two Fridays each month in the Westland area. For more information, call Sue, 562-2805, or Pat, 326-8988. Bethany West is a support group for the divorced and separated.

BETHANY WEST — Members of the support group for the divorced and separated meet at 8 p.m. Feb. 4 at St. Robert Bellarmine Catholic Church, West Chicago at Inkster Road, Redford. Cost is \$3. Call 728-7681.

TOUGHLOVE — Members of the group, a nonprofit program for parents troubled by their children's behavior, meet at 7:30 p.m. every Thursday. Call Rae, 278-6873, or Delores, 595-7448, for information on dates and meeting times.

BOY SCOUT TROUP 1539 PLYMOUTH-CANTON — Members of the Boy Scout group meet at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday at Lowell Middle School, Hix Road, south of Joy Road. Call Doug, 455-1891.

ENCORE — Members of the national YWCA postmastectomy discussion, exercise and support program for women meet from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. every Monday at the Dearborn Athletic Club, Dearborn, and from 9 to 11 a.m. every Thursday at the Forum Health Club, Westland. Call Julia, 561-4110.

HURON VALLEY CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION OF BELLEVILLE — Members meet Feb. 4 at the Roxy, 11175 Haggerty Road. Tickets are \$15, which includes buffet and pass to the Looney Bin II Comedy Club. Call Wayne, 697-9536, Ernie, 697-8764, or Ginger, 461-2498.

WESTSIDE SINGLES — A dance party is set from 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. Feb. 3 at Livonia Elks, 31117, Plymouth Road, east of McFarlane Road, Livonia. Those attending must be at least 21 years of age. Cost is \$5. Call 562-3160.

ATTENTION DEFICIT DISORDER ASSOCIATION — Members of the group meet at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 2 at the Livonia Civic Center Library, Five Mile Road, east of Farmington Road. Call 464-8233.

CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S CLUB — Members meet at 12:30 p.m. Feb. 8 at Weber's Inn, 3050 Jackson Road, Ann Arbor. Call Jackie, 665-3453.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON CIVITAN CLUB — Members meet at 7:30 p.m. the first Thursday of each month at the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce and the third Thursday of each month at Karl's Family Restaurant. Call 981-7259.

HURON VALLEY GIRL SCOUT COUNCIL — The winter meeting is set for 7 p.m. Feb. 2 at the Wayne County Intermediate School District. All Girl Scout adults should attend. Call 722-2175.

POLISH CENTENNIAL DANCERS — Classes in beginning polka, folk dancing and aerobics are offered to adults by members of the Polish Centennial Dancers. Call Linda, 522-3777, or Joanne, 464-1263.

HURON VALLEY COUNCIL OF COOPERATIVE NURSERIES — The winter meeting is set from 7 to 10 p.m. Feb. 17 at McKenny Union at Eastern Michigan University-Guild Room, Ypsilanti. Cost is \$15. Call Katy, 429-1989.

PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY FAMILY YMCA — The annual meeting is set for 7 p.m. Feb. 13 at the YMCA administrative offices, 248 Union St., Plymouth. Call 453-2904.



CHURCHES

MARDI GRAS CARNIVAL — The event, sponsored by members of the Mother's Club, is set from 5 to 8:30 p.m. Feb. 3 at St. Anthony's Father Folta Building. The event is free. Call Faye, 699-9881.

NEW SERVICES — New church services are being staged at New Hope Apostolic Temple. Services begin at 11:30 a.m. Sunday. Additional times and days include 7:30 p.m. Sundays, 7:30 p.m. Monday prayer services, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday Bible study classes and 8 p.m. Friday family services. The church is located at 3100 Harrison at Cherry Hill, Inkster.

STAGE PLAY PRESENTED — Members of the Rhema/Drama Dinner Theatre present *Relatively Speaking* Feb. 10 and 11 at Clarencville United Methodist Church, 20300 Middlebelt, Livonia. Appetizers are served at 6:30 p.m., followed by dinner. Call 561-3300.

CHICKEN DINNER — A family-style chicken dinner is offered from 5 to 7 p.m. at Stony Creek United Methodist Church, 8635 Stony Creek Road, five miles south of Ypsilanti. Cost for the all-you-can-eat dinner is \$3, \$5 and \$5.50.

POTATO PANCAKE SUPPER — An old-fashioned potato pancake supper is planned for 4 p.m. Feb. 3 in the gymnasium of St. John's Lutheran School, on Northline, at Telegraph Road, Taylor. Cost is \$1.25, \$2.50 and \$4.50. Call 291-7784.

LAS VEGAS NIGHT — Members of St. Mel's Men's Club are sponsoring a Las Vegas night at 7 p.m. Feb. 18 at the Father, John Furlong Activities Building, 7506 Inkster Road, Dearborn Heights. Cost is \$1. Call 274-0684.



EDUCATION

BUSINESS CLASSES — Classes in typing, word processing, medical office management, computer programming, how to start a small business and money management are offered by Wayne-Westland schools leisure program. Call 728-0100. Classes begin Feb. 6.

CLASSES OFFERED — New classes offered in the winter term through the leisure program of Wayne-Westland schools include chair caning, fishing, window glass replacement, country wood carving, first aid and how to obtain a job. Call 728-0100.

ADULT FITNESS CLASSES — Swimming classes are offered days and nights through the Wayne-Westland leisure program. Call 728-0100.



REUNIONS

The following schools/organizations are planning reunions:

CODY HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1979, Oct. 7, Roma's of Livonia-West. Call 465-2277 or 263-6803.

DEARBORN HEIGHTS ROOSEVELT — Classes of 1953, 1954 and 1955, Sept. 16, Holiday Inn, Ford Road at Southfield. Call Tom, 728-2884, Bonnie, 287-3474, Goody, 277-4044, or Bobbie, 665-9465.

FORDSON HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1939, Sept. 23, Italian American Hall. Call Angie, 846-9979, Duane, 565-0805, or Bill, 525-0276.

HAMTRAMCK HIGH SCHOOL — Classes of January and June 1939, 3 p.m. Sept. 24, Polish Century Club. Call Chet, 893-6830, or Helen, 682-3850.

MACKENZIE HIGH SCHOOL — Classes of 1962, 1963 and 1964, Saturday, April 29, Warren Chateau, 6015 E. 10 Mile Road, Warren. Call 837-5880 or write: P.O. Box 2086, Suite 244, Birmingham, Mich. 48011.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1979, July 15, Holiday Inn, Livonia West. Call Lee, 465-2277, or 263-6805.



BUSINESS

BUSINESS WORKSHOP — "The Nuts and Bolts of Beginning Your Own Independent Business" is set from 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Feb. 4 at the Bloomfield Township Public Library, Telegraph at Lone Pine Road. Cost is \$195, which includes a 150-page workbook, five audio cassette tapes and refreshments. Call John, 335-1200.



ARTS/CRAFTS

ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED — Applications are being accepted for an arts and crafts show slated for March 11 and 12 at St. Aloysius Church, 37200 Neville Road, Romulus. Twenty-eight 8-foot tables are available for rental at \$25. Twelve 6-foot tables are \$20 for rental. Call Michelle Major, 941-5929.

ZIRBES AND SAVAGE EXHIBITION — The two-person exhibition, sponsored by Pewabic Pottery, will be presented through Feb. 11. The event is open to the public and will be staged at Pewabic Pottery, 10125 E. Jefferson Ave., Detroit. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Call 522-0954.

CRAFTERS NEEDED — Crafters are needed for the St. Kevin's annual spring boutique March 18 at St. Kevin's social hall, 30053 Parkwood, Inkster. Tables are \$15. Call 728-2470 or 595-1305.



SENIORS

WAYNE-WESTLAND SCHOOLS CLUB — The following activities have been planned at the Dyer center, 36745 Marquette Road, Westland. Hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Call 595-2161 for more details.

PINOCHLE — Members can play at 1:30 p.m. each Monday and 6:30 p.m. each Tuesday.

SENIOR CHORUS — Seniors can put their voices to the sounds of music from 2:30 to 4 p.m. every Monday.

CERAMICS — Seniors can participate in ceramics class from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. every Friday.

WOODCARVING CLASS — Woodcarvers meet for class from 9 a.m. to noon every Friday.

BINGO — Bingo will be played at 1 p.m. Feb. 8. The public is invited.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST — A pancake and sausage breakfast is offered from 9 to 11 a.m. Feb. 8. Cost is \$2.

WESTLAND SENIOR CLUB — The following activities have been planned at the Westland Senior Friendship Center, 1119 N. Newburgh Road, Westland. The center is open Monday through Friday. Call 722-7632 for more details.

WEEKLY BINGO — Members participate from 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesdays. Cost is \$1 plus any extra cards. Regular prizes and jackpot are awarded. Call 24 hours in advance to eat lunch before bingo. A \$1 donation for the lunch is suggested.

HYPERTENSION SCREENING — Hypertension screening is provided by staff members of the Westland Medical

Center and Annapolis Hospital from 10 a.m. to noon every Monday.

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING — Blood pressure screenings is staged from 10 a.m. to noon every Monday at the center.

EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT GROUP — A support group, with educational discussions on health care, is staged at 10:30 a.m. every Wednesday. Members meet for approximately 30 minutes.

FREE TAX SERVICES — Free tax service will be available to seniors from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. every Monday and Tuesday until April 10.

PRIVATE TAX CONSULTANT VISIT — A tax consultant will prepare all tax forms for seniors by appointment only. The service will be offered from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Feb. 21 to April 11.

WAYNE SENIOR CITIZENS — The following activities have been planned at the Wayne Community Center, 4635 Howe Road, at Annapolis, Wayne. For details, call 721-7400 between 1 and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

PINOCHLE — The game is played from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. each Tuesday.

MEDICARE INFORMATION — Medicare and Medicaid supplemental insurance information is available from 1 to 3 p.m. every Wednesday, by appointment only. Call 721-7400.

CRAFTS CLASS — Crafts class is open to seniors from 1 to 4 p.m. every Wednesday.

EXERCISE CLASS — Seniors can enjoy exercise class from 9 to 10 a.m. every Tuesday.

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING — Free blood-pressure screenings are offered by workers of Annapolis Hospital from 10 a.m. to noon every first Thursday of each month.

CANTON TOWNSHIP SENIORS — The following activities have been planned for Canton seniors. Call the Canton Recreation Center at 397-1000, ext. 278. The center is located at 44237 Michigan Ave., at Sheldon Road, Canton.

NUCLEAR PLANT TOUR — A tour at the Fermi II Nuclear Plant, in Monroe, will be offered to Canton seniors. The trip is scheduled for Feb. 25. Cost is \$5.50, which includes transportation, tour of the plant and dinner.

MEXICAN CRUISE — A Mexican Riviera cruise trip is offered for Canton seniors March 19 to 30. The seven-day trip includes eight meals and daily snacks, three cocktail parties, access to all shipboard activities, three port stops and staterooms. Cost of the trip is still unknown.

SENIOR TRAVEL CLUB — Members of the Western Wayne County Senior Travel Club meet at 2:30 p.m. the first and third Thursdays of each month in the board room of the Wayne-Westland Board of Education building, 36745 Marquette, Westland. Club dues are \$2. Call 388-2903.

SENIOR MEALS OFFERED — A hot-lunch program is being offered for community seniors at least 55 years of age, at the Westland Medical Center. Meals are offered from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. daily for \$2. Call 467-2790.

LAS VEGAS NIGHT — A Las Vegas night, sponsored by senior members of the Dr. Thomas A. Dooley Council 5492, is slated from 7:30 p.m. to midnight Feb. 11 at the hall, 28945 Joy Road, Westland. Cost is \$1. Call 421-9500.

FREE HEALTH SCREENINGS — Free health screenings are available Feb. 8 at September Days senior center, 46270 Ayres Road, Belleville, for those 60 years old and older. Call 467-4638.



HEALTH

YOUTH COURSES — Several youth

courses are being offered at the Canton Health Center, a part of the Oakwood Hospital Corp. Classes include preschool speech, kindergarten and first-grade language group and a toddler language group. For more information, call 459-7030.

BREATHERS CLUB — Members of the group meet the third Wednesday of each month in classroom 3 of the Garden City Hospital, 6245 N. Inkster Road, between Ford and Warren roads, in Garden City. Call 559-5100.

BLOOD DRIVES — Blood donations will be accepted during blood drives on the following days and locations: 1:30 to 7:30 p.m. Feb. 3, Harris-Kehrer Post 3323, 1055 S. Wayne Road, Westland. Call Conrad, 721-4698, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Feb. 4, First Brigade 70th Division U.S. Army Reserve, 20135 Inkster Road, Romulus. Call Major Larry Main, 427-8000, 2:30 to 8:30 p.m. Feb. 15, Good Hope Lutheran Church, 28680 Cherry Hill Road, Garden City.

CPR CLASSES — Two CPR classes for adults-Adult CPR and Child and Infant CIP-will be staged in March. The classes are offered by the Wayne-Westland Community Schools adult/community education program. Call 728-0100.

HOSPICE PROGRAM — "Hospice: Dying with Dignity and Comfort," a program dealing with an alternative form of care for those living with a terminal illness, is presented at 7 p.m. Feb. 7 at the Westland Convalescent Center, 36137 W. Warren Road, Westland. Call 728-6100.



FUN FOR ALL

The following stage plays are being featured at area theatres.

WILD HONEY — The stage play, a tale of an unlikely Don Juan, will be performed at 8 p.m. Feb. 11 and 18 at the Hilberry Theatre, Cass and Hancock Roads, Detroit. For tickets, call 577-2972. The performance is staged through March 4.

WHEN THE JUMBIE BIRD CALLS — The performance, portraying a young man who returns to the West Indies from American in 1979, is set for 8 p.m. Feb. 3 and 4 and at 2 p.m. Feb. 5 at Bonstelle Theatre at Wayne State University. Call 577-3010.

JANE EYRE — The play will be staged Feb. 10, 11, 12, 16, 17 and 18 at Quirk Theatre at Eastern Michigan University. Curtain times are 8 p.m. with a 2:30 p.m. Sunday matinee. Call 487-1221.

THE THREE SISTERS — The stage play will be featured April 14 to 23 at the Bonstelle Theatre, at Wayne State University. For tickets, call 577-2960.

MY SISTER IN THIS HOUSE — The stage play of a tale of four women trapped under the same roof will be performed at 8 p.m. Feb. 10, 11, 17, 18, 24 and 25 at the Theatre Guild of Livonia-Redford, 15138 Beech Daly, one block south of Five Mile Road. Tickets are \$6. Call 427-1905.

THE NOT SO GRIMM BROTHERS AND THEIR SISTER — The stage play will be presented at 6 p.m. Feb. 14 at the Maplewood Community Center, 31735, Garden City. Tickets are \$5. Call Val, 525-8846.

THE SCARLET PIMPERNEL — The stage play is presented at 8 p.m. Feb. 2, 3, 4, 9, 10 and 18 at the Hilberry Theatre of Wayne State University. Call 577-3010.

METROPARK PROGRAMS — Cross-country-ski trails are available at Willow Metropark, near New Boston, during the winter months. Ski rentals are also available. Call 697-9181.

METROPARKS PARKING PERMITS AVAILABLE — The 1989 Metroparks annual vehicle entry permits and boating permits are available. Permits are \$10 and \$5. Call 1-800-24-PARKS.

Schools

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Kids growing up in dysfunctional homes have a real tough time validating their feelings. They wonder, 'Am I crazy.' They must be able to trust their perceptions," Combs explained.

Other student-orientated prevention programs are coordinated by area hospitals and health organizations. Students are the key supporters of school groups such as Students Against Drunk Driving and Safe Rides.

Most important in all in-school educational campaigns is to show youngsters that drug abuse is harmful and that help is available.

"The focus we try to make is to start looking at themselves," said Nick Cooper, a participant in the Plymouth-Canton schools alternative education program. "Marijuana gets in the body and stays in the body. There are about 400 chemicals in one joint that are poisonous to the body," he continued. "These are all important things for kids to know."

Some educators have made drug awareness a part of the daily classroom routine.

"What has happened in our district is teachers have incorporated bits and pieces of the curriculum in their classroom," said Jim Couillard, a counselor at Adams Junior High School, in Westland. "Our goal is to have a broad-brush program. If you just focus on substance abuse, you don't get anywhere. Focus on the whole kid."

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Sports

Belleville is 'top gun' in Wolverine 'A'

Tigers avenge cage loss to Fordson, survive Trenton upset

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Belleville is the 'top gun' in the Wolverine 'A' Basketball Conference.

Coach Michael Garland and his flying Tigers proved it last week by avenging their only loss of the season with a 62-54 victory over Dearborn Fordson last Tuesday, then hanging on Friday to edge Trenton, 57-54.

The two victories boosted Belleville's overall record on

the year to 11-1 and 8-1 in the conference. The Tigers find themselves all alone in first-place while Fordson moved down a notch to share second with Monroe. Each has 7-2 conference records.

The Tigers had a rare Tuesday evening off but will resume the chase for their first Wolverine 'A' crown at home Friday against an always precarious Monroe team.

Garland said that now that his team is at the top, "every-

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We can't be complacent as we were in the second half against Trenton and hope to win this thing. They'll be gunning for us now that we are at the top of the standings.

— Michael Garland
Belleville coach

one will be gunning for us."

"We can't be complacent, as we were in the second half

toss this thing into a dog fight again. We can't afford a let-down the rest of the way if we are going to win this thing."

Garland said that 6-6 senior Maurice Brantley should be ready to play against Monroe. Brantley reinjured his rib last week and was less than 100 percent.

With Brantley in the lineup, the Tigers jumped out in front 22-14 after one period against Trenton. However, Brantley took a shot to the ribs going for

a rebound and was forced to the sidelines.

Consequently, Trenton used Brantley's absence to its advantage. Trailing 37-25 at the halfway point, they came back on the strength of Joe Black's three-point shooting and Mike Van Riper's 10 of 14 fourth period points to leave the outcome of the game in doubt right up to the final whistle.

"We were complacent in that

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With the league and dual meet season behind them, high school wrestlers begin their "march madness" today with pre-district competition at Wayne Memorial. To survive and advance to the district wrestle-downs, the grapplers must finish among the top three in their respective weight classes. Wayne will host wrestlers from Belleville, Romulus and Monroe. ANP photo by Debbie Pountney/freelance photographer

Romulus, Belleville win conference mat titles

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Romulus and Belleville on Saturday showed why they have the best wrestling teams in their respective conferences.

Romulus dominated the South Central Conference mat scene with an overwhelming victory over its league opponents. First-year coach Norm Butler's Eagles repeated as champs as they produced seven conference champions and 184.5 points.

In the meantime, Belleville surprised the Wolverine 'A' Conference field and won the title outright, upsetting title favorite, Southgate Anderson's plans of claiming all of the title this year. Anderson, Belleville and Monroe shared the championship a year ago.

Butler, who is rounding out his first year as

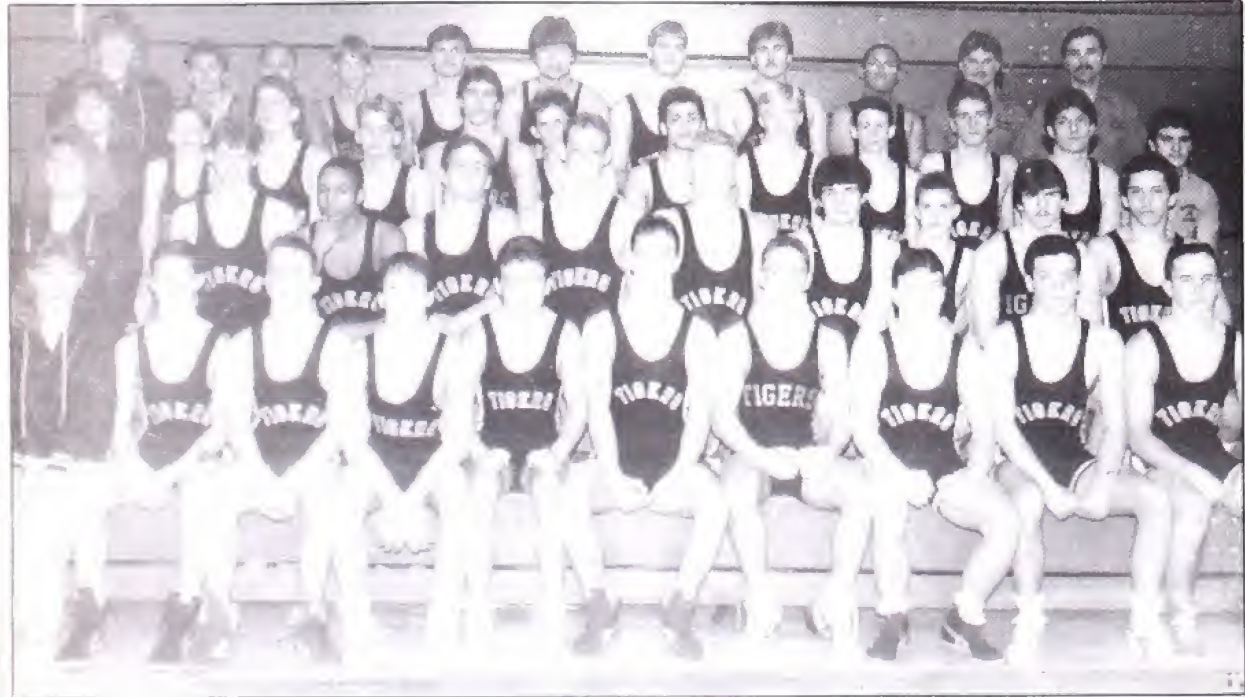
head coach after serving as an assistant a year ago to Wayne Schimming, said he was proud of his wrestlers.

"They got the job done," Butler said. "I am proud of them. However, there's a lot of hard work ahead for us."

Butler was referring to the pre-districts which will be staged at 5 p.m. today at Wayne Memorial. Ypsilanti and Belleville will join the Eagles and Wayne to decide who will advance to the district championships Saturday at Lincoln Park. The top three wrestlers in each of the 13 weight classes at the pre-district will advance to the district.

Romulus went into the conference championships with an impeccable 4-0 league and a 15-1 overall record. The Eagles amassed 184.5

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Belleville won its third consecutive - fifth overall - Wolverine 'A' Conference wrestling championship over the weekend, upsetting favorite, Southgate Anderson. The Tiger roster this season included: manager Jill Kolver (first row, from left), Derek Reed, Steve Davis, Warren Harden, John Ratliff, Brian Dorow, Ron Johnson, Joe Yuhas, Bernie Polzin and Rob Lucas; in the second row are: manager Sherri Spragg, Mike Komaromi, Mike Braswell, Carl Rowsey, Jeff Komaromi, Jim Howe, Anthony Richendollar, Mike Champagne, Gregg Patton and Richard Guimond; third row are: manager Jennie LaMotte, Todd Oliver, Ryan Dawson, Josh Druker, Joe Dumont, Sean Zaborowski, Fred Garcia, Bill McCullough, Josh Monte, Heath Wicklund, Brian Keaton, assistant coach John Ritchey; fourth row are: manager Cathy Crenshaw, Todd DeJonge, Khary Bates, Brian Rupnow, Dave Wiczorek, Gary Smallwood, Scott Rupnow, Lonnie Wade, James Scott, assistant coach Mike Beckley and head coach Gerald Malecek. Not available in the photo is manager John Murray.

Vikings battle top 'B' cage team to the finish

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Inkster coach George Thompson believes his team is on the verge of becoming a "great team."

The dean of area basketball coaches' beliefs were boosted last week when the Vikings battled the state's number one Class B team, Saginaw Buena Vista, down to the wire Tuesday before losing 61-58, then came back on Friday and gave undefeated Suburban Athletic Conference leader, Highland Park, a scare before handing over a 57-54 decision.

"I believe we are right there-right on the verge of greatness," said Thompson who takes his troops up against Oak Park Friday night. "The only thing this team lacks at this point is muscle. We have the finesse, but not the muscle.

INKSTER					INKSTER				
Player	FG	3-PTS	FT	TP	Player	FG	3-PTS	FT	TP
Brooks	2	0	0-2	4	Brooks	3	4	0-2	18
Pingston	2	1	4-6	11	Pingston	5	1	2-2	15
Asberry	1	0	0-0	2	Asberry	3	0	2-3	8
Bray	1	0	0-0	2	Bray	0	3-4	6	
Orr	3	1	2-4	11	Orr	1	0	2-4	4
Burgess	3	1	1-3	10	Burgess	0	0	2-4	2
Kewley	5	0	2-5	12	Kewley	1	0	1-3	3
Casey	1	0	0-0	2	Shabazz	0	0	2-2	2
TOTAL	18	3	9-20	54	TOTAL	13	6	12-22	58

HIGHLAND PARK					SAGINAW				
PLAYER	FG	3-PTS	FT	TP	PLAYER	FG	3-PTS	FT	TP
Croon	1	0	4-4	6	Smith	3	2	5-7	17
Carter	2	0	2-3	6	Tomic	3	1	0-0	9
Wilson	7	0	6-8	20	Jones	2	0	6-6	10
Terrell	4	0	3-4	11	Jackson	5	0	6-9	16
Hudson	0	0	2-2	2	Carmen	2	0	1-2	5
Middle	1	0	0-0	2	Gibson	1	0	0-0	2
Young	1	0	0-1	2	Casey	1	0	0-0	2
Gibson	4	0	0-0	8	Jackson	0	0	0-1	0
TOTAL	20	0	17-22	57	TOTAL	17	3	18-24	61

And I believe time is going to resolve our problems because most of this team is made up of juniors."

Certainly Highland Park would agree. They needed to

mobilize all of their strength to stop the rampaging Vikings who rallied behind 6-5 center Marcus Kewley and Harlan

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Golden chance

Chiefs let 'also rans' out of nets

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

With a golden opportunity to improve on their conference record, the Chiefs of New Boston Huron failed to capitalize and allowed a pair of "also rans" out of the basketball nets last week.

Coach Larry Swick's cagers dropped a pair of close games, 70-60 to conference rival, Riverview, and a low-scoring 50-44 account to Airport.

It won't be any easier for the Chiefs this week. They will clash with Flat Rock on Friday, a team that is "tough", Swick said.

"We'll have our hands full against them (Flat Rock)," Swick added. "They have seven players who are outstanding athletes and can shoot the three-pointer."

Huron wasted a career-high 22 points from Craig Poet in its setback against Riverview.

They trailed by three (18-15) after one period and by seven after two, 40-33.

However, they kept the outcome of the game in doubt to the very end. Tied several times in the stretch, the Chiefs unfortunately could never score the go-ahead basket against the Pirates.

Huron's two senior guards, Mike Harrison and Mike Debozy, again turned in excellent performances, despite being double teamed most of the game. Harrison counted 12 points and eight assists while Debozy sank 14 points and had five assists in the loss.

Huron looked good at the free throw line where they canned 76 percent (16 of 21) to Riverview's 19 of 34.

The Chiefs shot 50 percent (13 of 26) from the floor and came up short against Airport earlier in the week. Harrison was the only Huron player to reach double figures.

NEW BOSTON HURON					RIVERVIEW				
Player	FG	3-PTS	FT	TP	Player	FG	3-PTS	FT	TP
Harrison	2	1	5-6	12	Jenkins	5	4	4-7	26
Debozy	4	1	4-5	14	Degan	1	0	7-10	9
Freshour	2	0	1-2	5	Metzgar	8	1	0-2	19
Zavodsky	2	0	0-0	4	Orr	1	0	7-10	9
Poet	7	1	5-6	22	Cutney	0	1	1-2	4
Marmion	1	0	1-2	3	Czopiek	0	1	1-2	4
TOTAL	21	3	16-21	60	TOTAL	15	7	19-34	70

After trailing 13-7 in the first period, the Chiefs outscored their conference rivals 14-11 and closed the gap to 24-21 at the intermission. With both teams playing a cautious game that led to a low-scoring affair, Airport held a 12-10 in the third period and lost its lead briefly 39-38 after a Harrison three-pointer.

Tigers stop T-Birds, to face Wyandotte next

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

After disposing of Dearborn Edsel Ford's T-Birds 49-34, Belleville resumes its quest for a Wolverine 'A' Conference swimming championship on Thursday at Wyandotte Roosevelt.

Roosevelt is the final obstacle between Belleville and Wayne Memorial, the two undefeated teams in the league who have a showdown later this month. If the Tigers and Wayne manage to win their Thursday meets, they will decide on Feb. 7 which team will enter the league championships with an unblemished conference record.

The league championships will be decided Wednesday, Feb. 15 at Wayne Memorial.

Monroe, the defending champ, which has won all six of the Wolverine 'A' Conference titles, has two losses on its record and is in jeopardy of losing the crown.

"It's been a very interesting year," Snider commented. "Obviously, we are not going to speculate on what will happen in the future. Right now, our job is to get ready for the Wyandotte meet."

Belleville swept seven of the 11 events

against the T-Birds en route to their seventh victory in nine starts. (Belleville is 4-0 in the conference). Mike Bird and Brian Bogardus accounted for two first-places each and, Eric Snider, although he broke the pool record in the 50-yard freestyle, had to settle for a second place in the 50-yard freestyle.

Snider turned in a 22:52 for the 50, but trailed Edsel's Pat Eagan to the wall. Eagan was clocked in the winning time of 22:02. The Belleville freestyler also finished second to Eagan in the 100-yard freestyle as the T-Bird swimmer carded an impressive 48.76 for the distance. Snider's second-place time was 49.5.

Bird claimed victories in the 200-yard freestyle (1:56.37) and the 500-yard freestyle (5:24.28) while Bogardus checked in with victories in both the 100-yard butterfly (58.1) and the 100-yard backstroke (59.67).

Corey Frost's 206 points gave the Belleville diver a victory on the boards.

Snider put together the winning lineups for the 200-yard medley relay and the 400-yard freestyle relay.

In the medley, the Tigers went with Bogardus, Scott Overholt, Joe Bongiorno and Duane Townsend who were clocked in 1:50.61.

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Champs

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points and had little problem turning back the rest of the field which was made up of Adrian, runner-up (126); Ann Arbor Huron (104); Ypsilanti (93.5) and Ann Arbor Pioneer (82). Officially a member of the SCC since the 1987-88 season, the Eagles had three repeat conference title winners in Tim Kosikowski (130), Bruce Boyd (135) and Rick Champagne (152). Also walking off the mats with gold medals from Romulus were: Dave Gehringer (119), Brian Farnan (140), Ralph Farrell (171) and heavyweight Paul Nowicki. Gehringer, a junior who is sporting a 31-7 record, stopped Dave Lessner of Ann Arbor Huron, 6-4, for his gold medal; Kosikowski, a 36-1 wrestler this year, took all of 55 seconds to pick up his conference gold at the expense of Jim Bray, also of Huron.

profile



Name: Paul Nowicki
Age: 18
School: Romulus
Sport: Wrestling
Achievement: With a string of 24 consecutive victories, Nowicki captured a gold medal in the heavyweight division at the South Central Conference championships. His performance helped Coach Norm Butler's Eagles repeat as SCC champs.

Boyd, also a blue chip junior, clashed with Jason Adams of Pioneer in the finals and was awarded the gold by virtue of a 5-1 victory. He's 30-6 on the season.

Farnan walked off the mats a winner by a 5:11 fall over Huron's Chris Crudder and Champagne added another gold to his trophy case with a 6-1 victory over Pioneer's Hideki Soneoka. The Romulus senior will take a 34-3-1 record into the pre-district.

Farrell had a tough opponent in Pioneer Dave Brant and managed to surface with a 2-1 victory to boost his overall record to 20-7 on the year.

Nowicki, the second-best heavyweight in the state a year ago, defeated Adrian's Chad Mason in 22 seconds. The champ is undefeated in 22 trips this season.

Romulus received second-place medals from Billy Lincoln (125), Scott Murowski (145) and Don Dufore (189) while the Eagles finished third with Dale Gehringer (103) and Jason Drouillard (112).

Romulus brought the curtains down on the 1989 SCC season earlier in the week with a 52-15 victory over Ann Arbor Pioneer.

Belleville Coach Gerald Malecek said he "had to win the conference title because of a lapse of memory."

The veteran wrestling coach explained: "Since we had the championship trophy in our possession, the athletic department called to remind me to take the traveling trophy to the tournament. I forgot the trophy. On the bus en route to the tournament site, I remembered, and was about to turn around, but asked my kids what we should do."

"The kids replied: 'Don't worry, coach, we're going to win this (title) for you.' And they did."

With about 30 points to spare, Belleville garnered 170.5 team points to win its third consecutive and fifth title in the six year history of the Wolverine 'A' Conference.

February 1989

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noteworthy

"We are on the edge of becoming a great team. All we need right now is a little more muscle

George Thompson

Inkster coach after his Vikings nearly upset the number one ranked Class B team in the state, Saginaw Buena Vista.

Southgate, the favorite to win going into the tournament, finished with 137.5 points, followed by Lincoln Park (133), Monroe (115.5), Trenton (99.5), Wayne Memorial (85.5) and Wyandotte.

The Tigers finished the league race with a 6-1 record. They have a 10-1 overall record as the week begins.

Belleville boasted three league champs in Derek Reed (103), Mike Braswell (16), and Jeff Komaroni (189). The Tigers were runners up with Joey Yuhas (140) and Brian Dorow (130) while bronze medalists included Steve Davis (112), Chris Williams (125), Bernie Polzin (145) and Carl Rowsey (171). They placed fourth with John Ratliff (119) and Ron Johnson (135).

"This victory was a total team effort," Malecek said. "I told the kids going into the meet if everyone would place we would win this, well 12 of our 13 wrestlers scored points and 11 of 12 placed. That's the way these kids rose to the challenge."

prep standings, schedules

KEY: S-league standing; LW-league wins; LL-league losses; OW-overall wins; OL-overall losses; *not available; - not applicable

League standings - Basketball

HURON CONFERENCE									
SCHOOL	LW	LL	OW	OL	SCHOOL	LW	LL	OW	OL
Grosse Ile	7	1	11	1	Riverview	2	6	5	7
Carlson	8	0	10	2	Flat Rock	5	3	10	3
Airport	2	6	3	9	New Boston	1	7	3	11
Monroe CC	5	3	8	4	Jefferson	2	6	3	9
SOUTH CENTRAL CONFERENCE									
SCHOOL	LW	LL	OW	OL	SCHOOL	LW	LL	OW	OL
Ypsilanti	0	5	2	10	AA Pioneer	4	1	7	7
AA Huron	3	1	9	4	Romulus	2	3	7	7
Adrian	3	2	7	5					
SUBURBAN ATHLETIC CONFERENCE									
SCHOOL	LW	LL	OW	OL	SCHOOL	LW	LL	OW	OL
Highland Park	6	0	10	4	Oak Park	4	2	8	5
Robichaud	3	3	7	6	R Rouge	0	6	2	11
Willow Run	4	2	9	4	Ecorse	1	5	3	10
Inkster	3	3	5	8					
WOLVERINE 'A' CONFERENCE									
SCHOOL	LW	LL	OW	OL	SCHOOL	LW	LL	OW	OL
Wayne	6	3	9	3	Lincoln Park	2	7	6	7
Monroe	7	2	8	5	Fordson	7	2	11	3
Belleville	6	1	11	1	Wyandotte	1	8	2	11
Trenton	4	5	4	8	Southgate	1	8	1	12

School-by-school report

BELLEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL									
SPORT	LW	LL	OW	OL	GAMES COMING UP				
Basketball	8	1	11	1	home vs. Monroe, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 3				
					home vs. Southgate, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 7				
Swimming	4	0	7	2	at Wyandotte, 4 p.m. Feb. 2				
					at Chelsea, 7 p.m. Feb. 4				
Wrestling	6	1	10	1	at districts, TBA Feb. 1-4				
					at team districts, TBA Feb. 8				
Girls' Volleyball	0	1	0	1	home vs. Lincoln Park, 6:30 p.m. Feb. 1				
Girls' Gymnastics	0	0	0	2	home vs. Grosse Pt. N., 7 p.m. Feb. 2				

Tigers

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second half," Garland admitted. "We fell asleep out there. And we have to thank Hunter (Kevin) who picked up the scoring slack and the excellent all-around play of Gentry (Mike) for getting us past a tough Trenton team. Benjie Goldston also has been outstanding for us during these key games."

Brantley finished with 15 points, the game's high, while Gentry and Hunter chipped in 14 and 12 points, respectively.

Hunter played a key role in the rematch with Fordson. The Tiger sharpshooter connected on seven 3-pointers and

accounted for 23 points in the 62-54 victory over Coach John McIntyre's Tractors.

Belleville worked its way to a 15-9 first period lead but Fordson's Scott Szalkowski drilled in seven of his 16 points in the second period which enabled the Tractors to climb to a 29-25 advantage at halftime.

But Hunter sparked a third-period Tiger comeback as he drilled in five of those seven 3-pointers that enabled the winners to move out in front for good. All Belleville had to do was to protect a 53-44 third period lead and Garland beat McIntyre at his own game: ball control. Fordson put 10 points to the Tigers' nine on the scoreboard in the last eight minutes.



Pre-districts next

With league championships decided, high school wrestlers begin their bids for state titles today. Wayne will host one of the many pre-district tournaments where grapplers must finish among the top three in order to advance to district championships scheduled for Saturday at various sites in the area and state.

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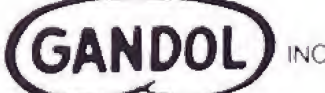
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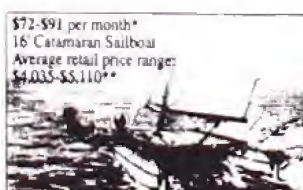
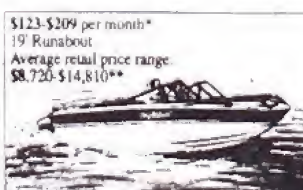
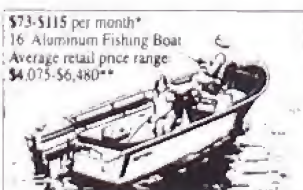
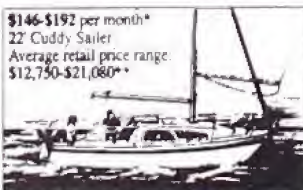
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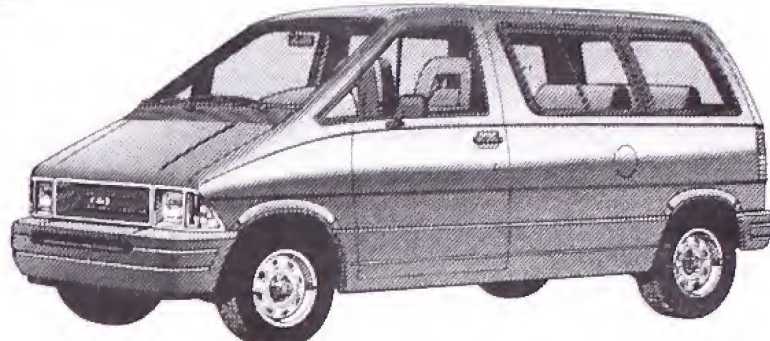
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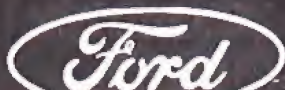
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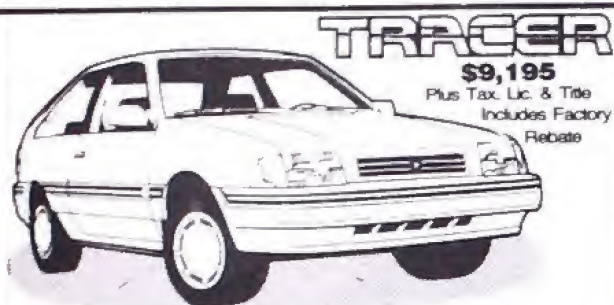
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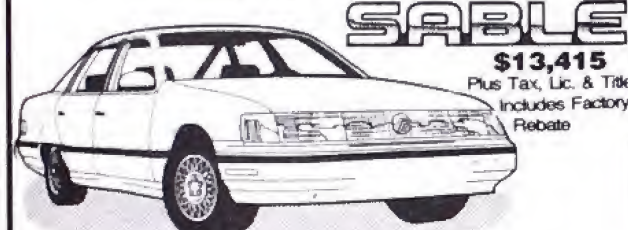
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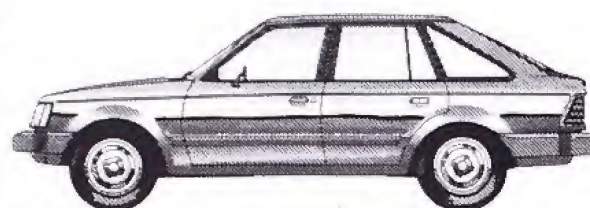
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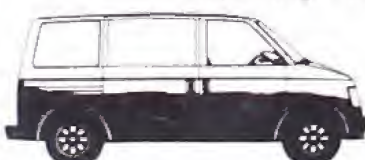
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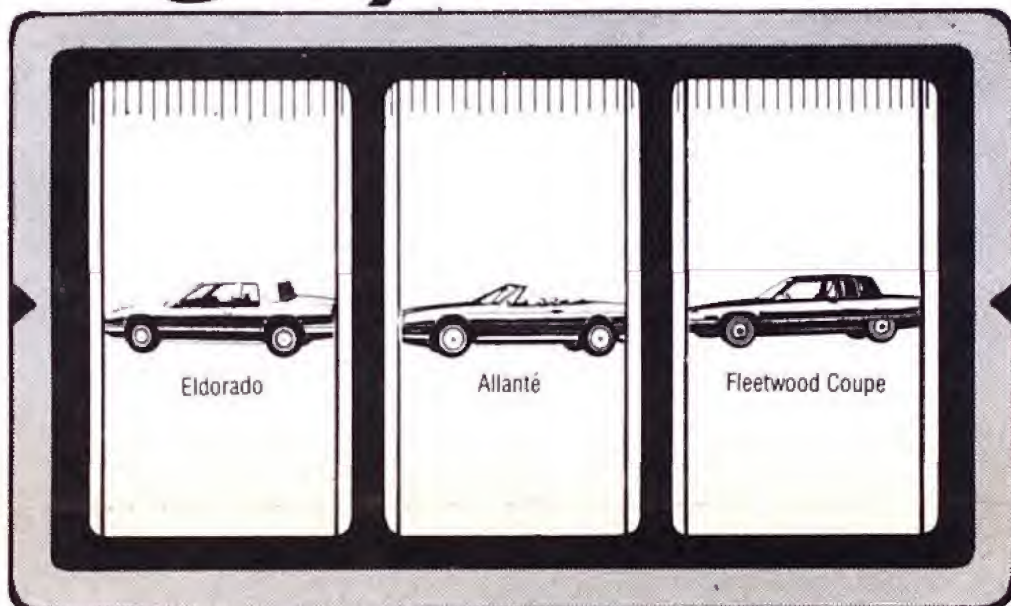


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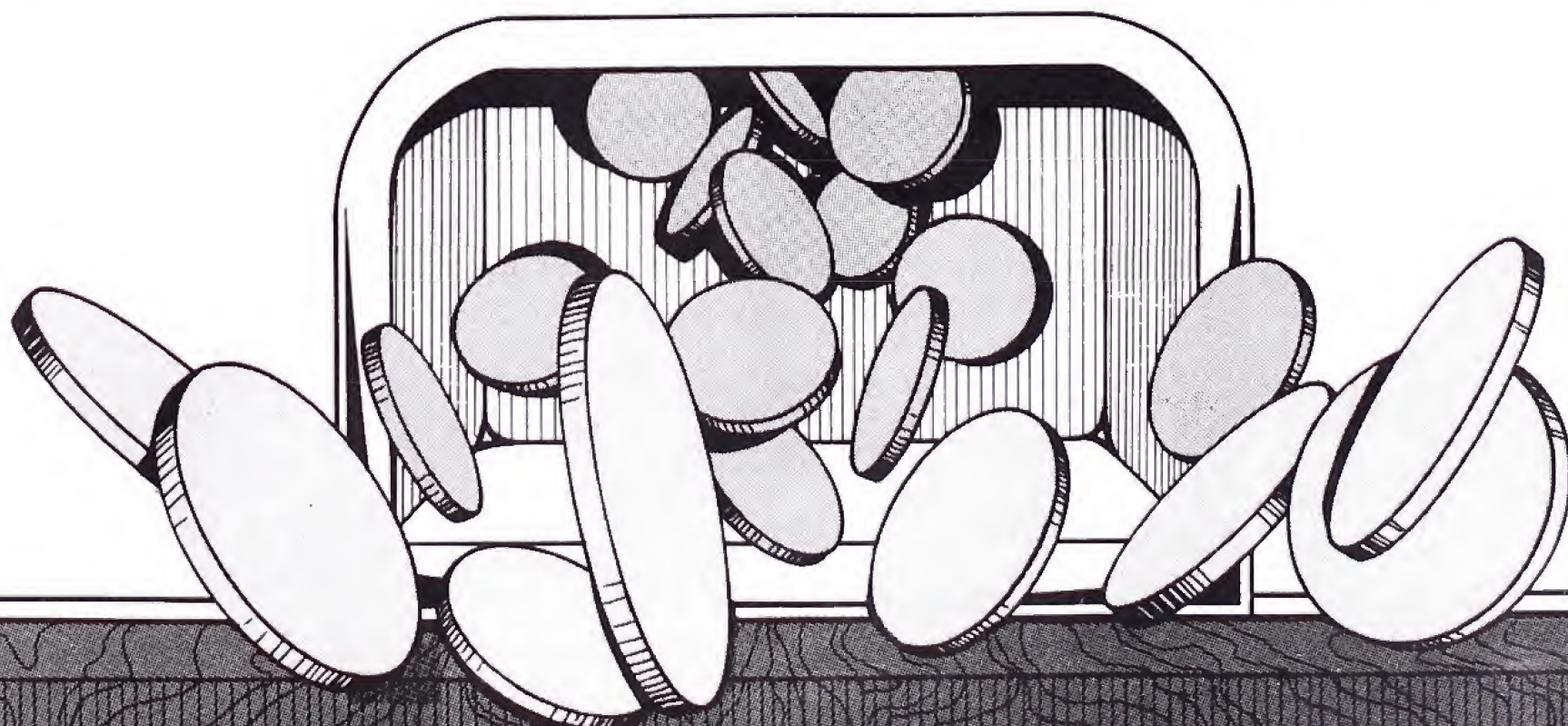
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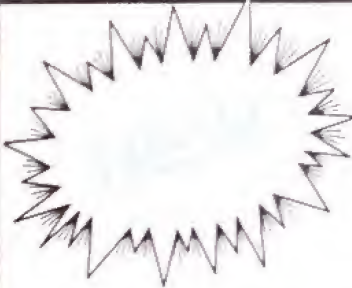
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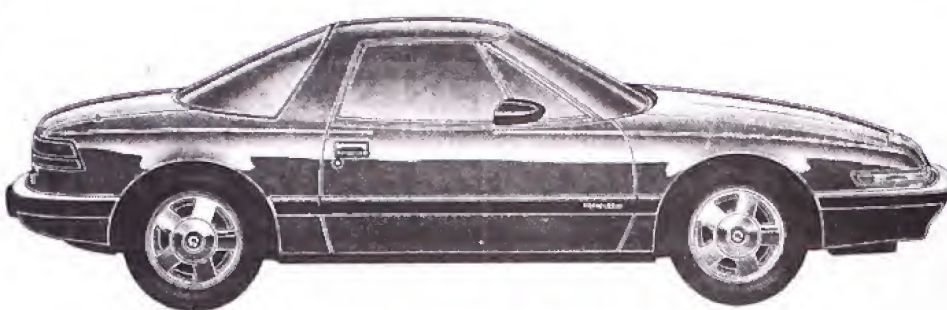
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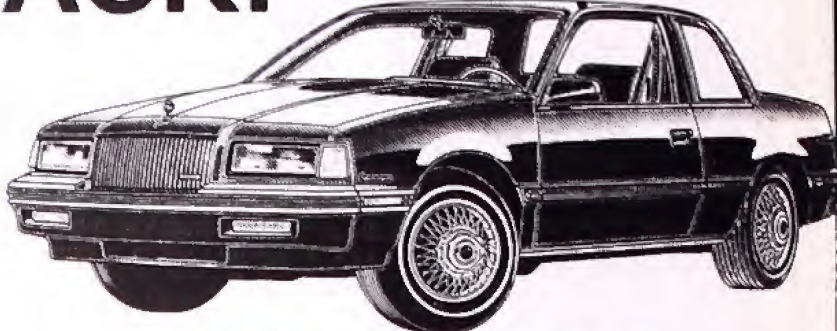
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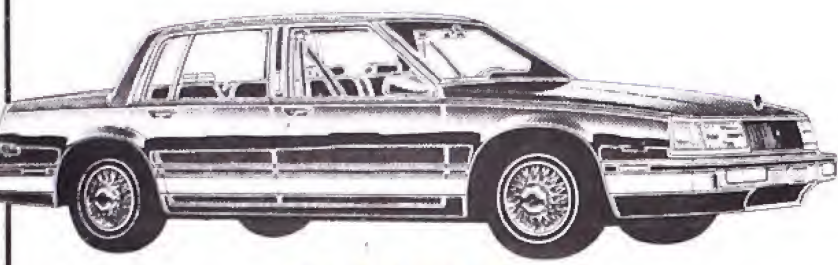
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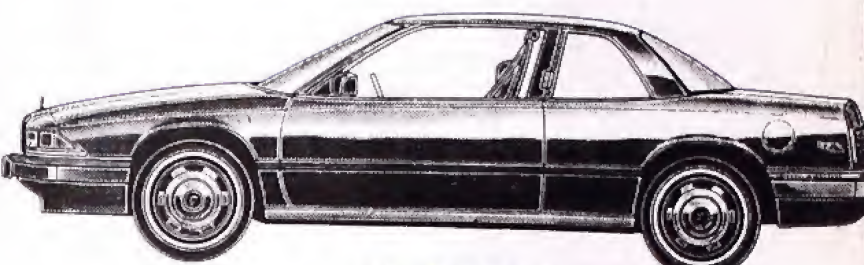
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